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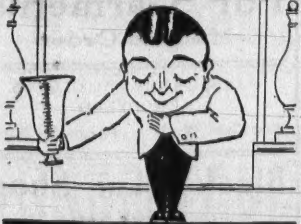
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Peter Shevlin of Park street is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Helen White, a former resident of Andover, renewed acquaintances here last Sunday.

Rev. Dean A. Walker was the speaker at the evening service at Abbot Academy last Sunday.

The Women's club of the Andover Grange will hold its annual meeting on Friday evening, January 20.

Frank L. Cole, superintendent of the Board of Public Works, has been confined to his home by illness.

At the meeting of St. Matthews lodge held last Monday evening the second degree was worked on two candidates.

The annual supper and meeting of the Free church will be held next Wednesday evening, January 18, at seven o'clock.

L. F. Hitchcock of Central street, who has been confined to the house for some time by serious illness, is now able to be out again.

Russell Hammond of Fitchburg has been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hammond of Pearson street.

Mrs. W. H. Pearce of Summer St., was installed as president of John E. Gilman tent, Daughters of Veterans, in Lawrence on Tuesday evening.

The Andover Guild Middlers defeated the Lawrence girl student basketball team, 6 to 4, at the Andover Guild gymnasium last Saturday evening.

The estate on Elm street, formerly the property of E. R. Barton, has been transferred from the ownership of Samuel Black to that of Noah Hamel of Lawrence.

The installation of the recently-elected officers of Andover council, Royal Arcanum, will take place this evening. After the installation ceremonies refreshments will be served.

Edward Twichell Hall of St. Louis, formerly of this town, was united in marriage on January 10 to Miss Jessie Gilroy of Philadelphia, the ceremony being performed in the Quaker City.

The members of the November club had the pleasure on Monday afternoon of listening to Prof. George P. Baker of Harvard University, who spoke on the subject, "The Child and the Theatre."

Rev. G. Glenn Atkins, D.D., of Providence, R. I., will preach at the chapel next Sunday. Dr. Atkins preached the baccalaureate sermon to the class of 1910 at Phillips Academy last June.

The Abbot Academy club held a regular meeting last Saturday afternoon at Hotel Vendome. The story-telling of Miss Mary Agnes Best, music and a social hour were the features of the afternoon.

The installation of the officers-elect of Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., which was to have taken place on Wednesday evening, has been postponed to January 25, owing to the sudden death of the installing officer, J. Watson Sewall of Lawrence.

Last Friday evening a new castle of the Knights of King Arthur was instituted at the South church, under the name of Gettysburg castle. There are twelve members in the new castle, of which Lester E. Sturtevant is Merlin.

The meeting of the Abbot Alumnae association and the Abbot club of Abbot Academy on Saturday, February 4, will take the form of a luncheon to be given at Hotel Vendome. A reception will be held at 12.30 o'clock, to be followed by the luncheon at one o'clock.

J. Watson Sewall of Lawrence, who passed away last Sunday, was well known by many in this town. Mr. Sewall was formerly a member of Christ church and also connected with the choir of that church. Of later years he has been familiar to many townspeople in his position as district deputy grand master of the I. O. O. F.

The members of the Junior choir of the Free church were very delightfully entertained last Friday evening by the Ladies Helping Hand society. A supper consisting of sandwiches, fruit, gelatine, chocolate, cakes and cookies was served to over thirty of the animated youngsters, who then enjoyed the playing of games and a short program of music and recitations.

Members of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge who intend to go to Methuen on the evening of January 18, can obtain supper tickets from the committee, Mrs. Jennie Bean, Mrs. S. H. Bailey, Mrs. Walter Buxton, Mrs. Faulkner. It is hoped a large number will attend and meet Grand Master Sargent and suite, who come to pay an official visit to Minerva, Penelope and Indian Ridge Rebekah lodges.

The next regular meeting of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held next Monday evening, January 16, under the direction of the newly installed officers. These officers are: Noble grand, Mrs. Eva Buxton; vice-grand, Miss Mae Morrill; recording secretary, Miss Sadie M. Hobbs; financial secretary, Mrs. Hattie Smith; treasurer, Mrs. May E. Faulkner; warden, Miss Annie Warden; conductor, Mrs. Gertrude Flint; R. S. N. G., Frank E. Holt; L. S. N. G., Miss Robina Mitchell; R. S. V. G., Mrs. Susie Mears; I. G. M., Mrs. Carrie Buchanan; O. G., Benjamin Hibberd; chaplain, Mrs. Florence Appleyard. A short entertainment will be held after the meeting and it is hoped that a good number will be present.

Mrs. Frank Blunt of Central street is ill at her home.

Albert Burt, employed by Hardy & Cole is ill with grip.

The revised number of the Townsman Telltale was issued today.

Lester Towne, Punchard, '11, is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. N. E. Bartlett of Abbot street is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Joseph H. Lowd of Bartlett street is recovering from an attack of grip.

Parker Shattuck of Carter's Corner is confined to his home with scarlet fever.

A regular meeting of Shawsheen lodge, Degree of Honor, will be held this evening.

Lincoln lodge, A. O. U. W., held a regular meeting on Monday evening of this week.

William Ross of Lawrence, a former resident here, visited friends in town on Thursday.

The Christian Endeavor society of the West church will hold a social next Thursday evening.

Andover lodge, I. O. G. T., held a meeting on Monday evening. Several new members were initiated.

The T. W. T. club of the South church will meet with Mrs. George S. Minor at 7.45 o'clock this evening.

Dr. Charles will open a dental office in Andover next week, after fourteen years' practice in Exeter, N. H.

At the South Church on Sunday morning the pastor will present a review of the year 1910 in the church.

T. F. Morrissey of High street has had his house repaired, part of which was damaged by fire several weeks ago.

The Scotland district Sunday school opened at the home of Mrs. Francis Holt with eighteen pupils, last Sunday.

Several Andover Rebekahs attended the installation of officers of Penelope lodge, in North Andover, on Monday evening.

Mrs. Hiram O. Stevens of Littleton, N. H., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Lowd of Bartlett street.

Several local apple growers have contributed barrels of apples to a carload of the fruit which is to be shipped to Europe.

Owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever in town, the John Doves, Bradlee and West Center schools were fumigated this week.

Mrs. William Clark and son of South Boston and Mrs. and Mrs. William Wrigley of North Andover visited at the home of T. E. Rhodes on Sunday.

Ray S. Hubbard of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children will make an address at the West church next Sunday morning.

A. N. Lincoln of Boston, grandson of the late Varnum Lincoln of this town, has taken a two year's lease of the house on Bartlett street owned by Charles L. Curtis.

Miss Margaret S. Hoyt, teacher at the West Center school, is ill with scarlet fever at 25 Central street. Her place is being filled by Miss Olive Palm of Lowell.

Mrs. John Cate (formerly Miss Ida Farnham) of Salem, N. H., has been visiting at her father's home on High street. Mrs. Cate attended the South church annual supper Wednesday evening.

Remember the R. C. O. A. concert which comes next Friday evening in the Town hall. An evening full of entertainment will be ensured by the presence of Herbert A. Clark, the well known entertainer.

A stereopticon lecture will be given in the South Church on Sunday evening at 7.30. Mr. Ray S. Hubbard of Boston will be the lecturer, and the lecture will describe the work of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Mrs. J. W. Barnard of High street is entertaining Mrs. Buck of Haverhill.

Miss Sara Poor of Chestnut street has been confined to her home by illness.

At the recent annual meeting of the Lawrence Bar association Wm. S. Knox of this town was elected president.

Miss Alice McTernan of Reading was present at the annual meeting of the South church last Wednesday evening.

The Woman's Union of the South church has purchased a Duntley Pneumatic Cleaner for use in the church building.

The Phillips Andover basketball team was defeated 18 to 17 in the opening game of the season played on Wednesday with Boston college.

Castle "Winchester" K. O. K. A. of the Free church initiated two new members last Monday evening and several more are expected to take their first degree next Monday.

Arrangements have been completed for the presentation of a comedy entitled "The Colonel's Maid," under the auspices of the Punchard Alumni association, on the evening of February 21.

A regular meeting of Garfield lodge, K. of P., will be held next Monday evening. The principal feature of the evening will be the working of the second degree on several candidates.

The protection front which has hidden the new Barnard block from view so long was removed on Thursday. The building, as it can now be seen, makes a handsome addition to the business blocks of the town.

The specialty of the Wonderland Theatre next Monday and Tuesday will be "Ranch Life in the Great South West." The piece will introduce some of the most daring feats of horsemanship ever performed.

The special meetings which have been held at the Baptist church this week have been well attended and have proved of great interest. The speakers have been Perley F. Gilbert, Colver J. Stone, Warren L. Johnson and Rev. W. E. Lombard.

A large delegation of townspeople attended the regular meeting of the Lawrence Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star on Monday evening, at which time Miss Alice S. Courts of this town was presented a Past Matron's jewel, after having served a year as Matron of the Order.

The January meeting of the Essex Pomona Grange was held last week with Haverhill Grange. Worthy Master Edward W. Boutwell presided. Fifteen delegates from Andover attended. The annual election of officers was held, Ralph A. Bailey of this town being elected steward.

The many friends of Mrs. F. Herbert Knight of Maple avenue are anxious for her to secure one of the prizes for penmanship offered by Mr. Lee of Denver, Col. He requires a sentence copied from a political man, one from a business man, and also one of a student, all of Andover.

Andover council, K. of C., held its installation of officers last night. The installing officer was District Deputy Thornton of Lawrence. An impromptu entertainment was enjoyed during the evening, vocal selections being rendered by Mr. Donnelly, and piano selections by Dr. Carroll of Lowell.

Miss Lillie E. Dodge, the district nurse, gave an interesting and instructive talk in regard to her work in town before the Andover Mothers' club last Friday afternoon at its meeting in the Jackson building. Tea and cake were served by Mrs. James May, Mrs. Charles Buchanan, Mrs. Geo. May, Mrs. Frank Foster, and Mrs. James Faulkner. Recitations entitled "The Owl and the Pussy Cat," by Elizabeth Sweeney, "Our Heroes," by Harry Brown, and "The Crow's Children," by Davina Auchterlonie, were also enjoyed.

(Other locals on page 8.)

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### Lawrence Graft Scandal May Assume Large Proportions

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 10.—Fred L. Snow, stone contractor, and James H. Horsfall, overseer in a mill, arrested on charges of the larceny of \$1279 from this city through graft, were arraigned before Judge Mahoney. The cases were continued until Jan. 19, the bail of \$3000 being continued in each case.

The arrests of Snow and Horsfall are declared to be the starters in the uncovering of a scandal that will involve not only contractors, but aldermen, heads of departments and officials in this city. It is intimated that more than a dozen more arrests will be made.

The state police assert that the \$1279.30 mentioned in the warrants on which Snow and Horsfall were arrested is not one-tenth of the amount actually involved in their cases.

### SENATOR UNDER FIRE

Stephenson of Wisconsin Implicated in Alleged Corruption

Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.—The committee of the state senate appointed by the legislature to investigate alleged corruption in the election of Isaac Stephenson, the multi-millionaire lumberman, to the United States senate, filed a report charging Stephenson with violation of the corrupt practices act, and many specific irregularities.

The committee recommends that a copy of the report be submitted to the United States senate and that that body investigate Stephenson's election.

Where Expert Places Peary on Climax of Journey Northward

Washington, Jan. 12.—The house committee on naval affairs completed its examination of Captain Robert E. Peary on his claim to attainment of the North Pole, and Hugh C. Mitchell, a skilled computer of the coast and geodetic survey, testified that he handled Peary's observations.

Mitchell said that he had figured that Peary, when he made his farthest camp, was less than five miles from the Pole and that in his marches on that day of the climax of his trip he passed within one and one-sixteenth of a mile of the actual Pole. He did not fix Peary actually at the Pole. He believed that Peary's observations could not be "faked."

The committee will hear Admiral Chester today and review the testimony in the case at an early executive meeting with a view to passing on the bill proposing Peary's retirement as a rear admiral.

### REPRIMAND FOR SIMS

Tone of Commander's "Blood Ties" Speech Aroused German Suspicion

Washington, Jan. 11.—President Taft has decided that Commander Sims, the United States naval officer who, at a recent dinner given in London by the mayor of that city, declared that if Great Britain ever were seriously threatened she could depend on "every man, every dollar, every drop of blood" in this country, should be publicly reprimanded.

"His offense has been so conspicuous," said the president, in his letter to Secretary of the Navy Meyer, directing the reprimand, "that the action of the department in reprimanding it should be equally so."

Commander Sims, who is in command of the battleship Minnesota, aroused the suspicions of the German people by the tone of his speech, which was made at a dinner given to the American bluejackets at Guildhall on Dec. 3.

## NO BLAME ON TUG CAPTAIN

### Hammond Files Report With Inspectors of Steam Vessels

#### STORY OF CAPE COD TRAGEDY

Vain Search Was Made For Barges Which Were Wrecked—Conclusion That They Dragged Together After Bitts Had Been Pulled Out of First One in Tow—Five of the Seventeen Victims Identified

Boston, Jan. 12.—Captain Francis E. Hammond of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad tug Lykens made an official report to United States inspectors of steam vessels for the port of Boston, in which he told all that he knew of the loss of the barges Trevorton, Corbin and Pine Forest, which broke loose from the tug before daylight Tuesday morning and were ground to pieces by breakers on Peaked Hill bar. Seventeen bargemen lost their lives.

"Shortly before 4 o'clock I awoke and went on deck and at 4:20 the seaman who was watching the tow line on the after deck reported that signals were being made with lights on the forward barge," said Hammond. "I went out myself, but could see no signals. Five minutes afterward a sudden lurch of the vessel, together with increased speed, indicated that we had parted from the tow."

"We slowed up, but were obliged to increase speed again in order to get steering way and to get the hawser aboard. Twenty minutes elapsed before we got the hawser aboard. The hawser and bridge were all right and this indicates we had pulled the bitts out of the barge."

"We cruised back again to the southward to search for lights, but could not make them out. Later I saw a stationary light, but could not determine whether it was afloat or ashore, as the searchlight showed the beach close at hand."

"We cruised between Race point and Peaked Hill bar until daylight. I saw the barge on Peaked Hill bar, but it was impossible to go to their assistance. I thought it possible the others had gotten up sail and worked off shore, so I cruised off shore in search of them."

"Finding no trace of the missing barges I put into Provincetown, where I heard that wreckage from the Trevorton and Corbin, and bodies of the crews of both, had been washed ashore. I concluded they and dragged together and sunk each other."

Captain Carleton of the local steamboat inspectors went over the report with Hammond and verified the course on the chart and says that present knowledge indicates that no blame attaches to Hammond. He will so recommend in his report to Washington.

Five of the seventeen victims of the triple wreck have been identified at Provincetown, where fourteen bodies were washed ashore. The sea still holds three others.

### ELKINS IS SWORN IN

He Succeeds His Father as Senator From West Virginia

Washington, Jan. 10.—Davis Elkins was sworn in as senator from the state of West Virginia. When he took his seat he represented the third generation of his family in the upper branch of congress, being the eldest son of the late Senator Stephen B. Elkins and the grandson on his mother's side of former Senator Davis.

Incidentally, he is the "baby" of the senate, being just 35 years old, men younger being ineligible to assume the senatorial toga.

### M'LEAN DEFEATS BULKELEY

Will Occupy Seat Held by Present Senator From Connecticut

Hartford, Jan. 11.—Former Governor George P. McLean of Simsbury was the choice of the Republican caucus of the members of the general assembly for the United States senate, defeating the present senator, Morgan G. Bulkeley.

Mr. McLean will be formally elected by the legislature next week. The unofficial vote was: McLean, 113; Bulkeley, 61.

### Thayer Out For Senator

Boston, Jan. 11.—After several weeks of silence John R. Thayer of Worcester announced that he was a candidate for United States senator providing the Democratic members of the Massachusetts legislature saw fit to choose him and would honor him with their united support.

### War Veteran's Fatal Smoke

Portland, Me., Jan. 10.—Locked in a little room Henry White, 65, a Civil war veteran, came to his death by asphyxiation last night. The fire started in White's room, supposedly due to his smoking in bed. He had no known relatives.

### Headache Wafers Bring Death

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 8.—Mrs. George H. Weeks died here, the third victim of headache wafers in as many weeks.

## Home Course In Domestic Science

### XVIII.—Food For Invalids and Children.

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THE chief difference between cooking for the sick and for those in good health is that the sick person must have his food properly prepared and the one who is perfectly well ought to have it properly prepared. One is a case of necessity in order to regain health; the other is a case of prevention to ward off sickness. There is no medicine more important and powerful than the right kind of food cooked and served in the best way to make it easy of digestion and nutritious. Since this is true there is no part of nursing more important than that of preparing the invalid's meals. Selecting and cooking meals for one who has little appetite mean more than choosing certain nutritious foods and cooking them well. They mean presenting the proper food to the patient in such an attractive way that an appetite will be awakened and there will be a desire to eat. It is essential, then, that special care be taken in arranging the patient's tray. A sick person is unusually sensitive to details. Little things which possibly would pass unnoticed by the person in normal health may cause actual discomfort to the one weakened by disease. The tray should always be covered with a clean cloth. The smallest stain or a rumpled appearance may take away the patient's desire for the food. The prettiest, thinnest china and glass, the brightest silver, should be sent to the sickroom. These in themselves will appeal to the eye and thus aid digestion.

The food should be served in small quantities and by courses. It is not unusual for the sight of a tray loaded



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with many dishes on which generous helpings of food are served to take away the patient's appetite before he has tasted a mouthful. A well filled tray may be gratifying to the person convalescing from a long illness when food was limited to liquids, but as a rule it is unappetizing almost to every person. Before taking the tray to the patient make sure that his room is in order and that he is ready for the meal. Freshen the air in the room for a few moments, wipe the patient's hands and face with a dampened cloth, straighten the bedclothes and rearrange the pillows. Then bring in the tray with the food on it freshly prepared. Serve hot things hot and cold things cold. Have everything as nearly perfect as possible. Place the tray within easy reach of the patient if he is able to feed himself and then while he eats talk to him of interesting, pleasant things, which will cause him to forget himself and what he is doing. Do not sit down beside the bed and watch every mouthful he takes, occasionally remarking on his improved appetite or the lack of it. Such a procedure is very likely to make the patient feel he has eaten enough before he is fairly started on the meal.

The patient's diet is naturally somewhat limited. There are a great many kinds of foods that he is not allowed to eat, and even those that are permitted cannot be cooked in all sorts of ways. The physician in charge of the case will give a list of foods allowed, and in some cases he will state how they are to be prepared. But his directions are often general, as "give him soft cooked eggs" or "let him have a bit of chicken or a nice cream soup." Any specific instructions regarding recipes or different ways of serving the same food are not often attempted by the doctor. If the nurse be wife, mother, daughter or professional—does not know how to serve eggs in a variety of ways, how even beef tea and gruels may be given new

forms and flavors, then the patient will probably weary of them, perhaps refuse to eat them. Fortunately is the woman who knows how to prepare simple foods attractively, making old friends appear as new acquaintances. But there are certain "don'ts" that must be observed when cooking for the sick.

Don't give an invalid or little child fried food of any kind. It is hard to digest, and the digestive organs of both sick people and children are weak.

Don't include pork in the invalid's bill of fare. A little crisp bacon or bacon gravy may be allowed occasionally.

Don't serve highly seasoned food. The sense of taste is generally very keen in sickness, and the natural seasoning of food is often enough. Besides, spices may weaken by overstimulation the digestive glands. Do not use pepper, mustard or vinegar and use salt sparingly.

Don't boil eggs for either invalids or children. Always cook them in water which has not quite reached the boiling point.

Don't cook milk directly over the fire; it is almost sure to burn. Even if it does not, milk should not be boiled for the same reason that an egg should not. Boiling temperature makes the albumen tough and indigestible.

Don't cook cream soups or boiled custards directly over the fire. Use a double boiler to keep the temperature below boiling.

Don't serve insufficiently cooked cereals. Rice, oatmeal and cornstarch should be cooked for a long time over hot water. Rice requires about two hours and oatmeal at least four hours' steam cooking.

Don't serve fried potatoes. When they are allowed they are much better baked, because they are more quickly digested in that form.

Don't serve cheese and don't cook butter too long. In making cream soups add the butter just before serving.

### Nurse's Care of Herself.

The woman who is acting as nurse in her home is very apt to neglect herself. It may be hard for her to do otherwise, especially if there are other demands on her time and strength. But if the patient needs constant care then it is almost imperative that the person who is caring for him should be relieved of other duties and responsibilities. His recovery demands this, for the nurse's mental and physical condition has often a marked effect on the patient. If the nurse is tired out, has been obliged to do without sufficient sleep for several nights, she is not likely to be herself. She will be nervous, easily excited, perhaps irritable and utterly unfit to give her best effort to her task.

She should have regular hours for sleep, when her rest will be unbroken for at least seven hours out of each twenty-four. Then a short time should be allowed every day for outdoor exercise. Constantly breathing the air of even a well ventilated sickroom soon tells on even robust health. The nurse should have also good, nourishing, easily digested food at regular hours. When sickness comes into the family such matters as guarding the health of the nurse and keeping the other members of the household in good health are often overlooked, and a single case of illness very often becomes two or three just because of this neglect. Everything should be done to hasten the recovery of the patient as well as preserve the good health of the rest of the family.

The nurse should wear comfortable clothing—a washable dress and broad soled shoes—and if the disease is at all infectious she should be careful to wash her hands each time she touches the patient. Professional nurses learn very early in their training the importance of disinfecting and using every precaution to prevent further development of the disease germs, but the inexperienced sometimes find it hard to realize how very powerful and insidious are these minute germs.

It is not at all necessary for the home nurse to be versed in drugs and medicines, nor should she be required to put on complicated bandages, prepare dressings or administer treatments which require professional skill and experience. All such matters will be undertaken by the physician when a trained nurse is not employed. But the woman who knows how to put on a simple bandage, how to stop an ordinary attack of nosebleeding, what to do when some one faints and also is familiar with simple remedies for simple ailments will always find the knowledge useful. In fact, it is a part of the all round woman's education to know these things and be able to apply them in a common sense way.

### The Care of Little Children.

No woman should consider her education complete until she has an intelligent knowledge regarding the care of little children. When we consider that the material out of which either heroes or invalids are made is found in the nursery it behooves every woman to see to it that either by her personal effort or by her influence she is doing her part to have the future generation composed of strong men and women, capable of being heroes, and that the number of weaklings is lessened. One of the greatest errors made in the management of children relates to their nutrition. "If the child is properly fed he will stand a great deal of abuse in other directions," is one authority, but more is necessary than food if the child is to develop properly. He must have fresh, suitable nutrition and a chance to be as young child should, free from care, with nothing to excite nerves or prevent the proper development of body and mind—as nearly like a young animal as possible.

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## HAD DEPOSITS OF \$9,000,000

**Carnegie Trust Company Is Forced to Close Its Doors IS HIT BY ROBIN SCANDAL**

Funds of Bankruptcy Court and State and City Funds Tied Up—Uncertain Status of Institution Well Known in Financial Circles—Many Changes in Management Since Its Organization—Much Money Withdrawn Recently

New York, Jan. 9.—A third bank across which the shadow of Joseph G. Robin, the indicted promoter, had fallen has closed its doors and the state superintendent of banks is in possession of the Carnegie Trust company, an institution with wide southern and western affiliations, with deposits of nearly \$9,000,000.

United States bankruptcy moneys, state and city funds are all tied up, bonded in varying degrees of sufficiency. The company was named the official depository of federal receivers and trustees of bankruptcy appointed by the United States district court, on application of Leslie M. Shaw, who for a period became president of the company following his resignation from the treasury department.

A bond of \$25,000 was put up, but there are now on deposit \$650,000 of moneys involved in compositions and settlements, all of which will be indefinitely delayed. The city, which at one time had \$1,000,000 on deposit, still has \$650,000, secured by the individual bonds of the directors. The state has \$39,000 on deposit, amply secured by \$100,000 bonds.

The future of the depositors and stockholders will not be known until the state superintendent makes public the report of his findings, but William A. Keener, one of the directors, and formerly of the firm of Keener & Lewis, counsel for the company, said: "Bank on what President Howell says—the company will pay dollar for dollar."

In 1909, when the Carnegie Trust company was under the presidency of the late C. C. Dickinson, who died mysteriously in an alchemist's laboratory last May, an effort was made to consolidate the Carnegie Trust company, the Nineteenth Ward bank, the Twelfth Ward bank and the Van Norden Trust company under the management and name of Carnegie. But the state banking department forbade the merger under a ruling that it would be impossible for a trust company to consolidate with state banks.

The closing of the Carnegie Trust company was no surprise in financial circles. On the street the uncertain status of the company had been a matter of common knowledge. In its brief career—it was organized in 1907—it had already passed through one serious period of depression and had known four presidents.

So many changes in management had not strengthened the bank in public favor. It is evident from its report to the state superintendent, Nov. 10, that its business had greatly declined during recent months. Then the shadow of Robin fell across its doors.

Dickinson and Robin had been friends and allies. Robin was on the first directorate but resigned. When the Northern bank was closed, and Superintendent Hotchkiss of the state department of insurance made public his investigation into its affairs, a draft drawn by Robin on the Carnegie, with which he had no account, cropped up. From that time there began a steady but continuous withdrawal of funds by depositors who had lost confidence. It could scarcely be called a run on the bank, but in its culmination it proved quite as effective.

The Carnegie Trust company occupied expensive banking quarters on the ground floor of 115 Broadway, which extended from Broadway to Trinity place. An enormous rental was paid.

New York, Jan. 10.—Unattended by counsel, Joseph G. Robin, the banker whose financial operations are alleged to have resulted in the closing of the Northern bank, entered a formal plea of not guilty to eight indictments charging him with the larceny of \$207,000 from the Washington Savings bank, of which he was president.

**Farrell For Corey's Place**  
New York, Jan. 11.—James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Products Export company, was unanimously selected by the finance committee of the steel corporation to succeed W. E. Corey.

**Battleship Michigan Disabled**  
Washington, Jan. 11.—The battleship Michigan of the Atlantic fleet was partially disabled by losing her port propeller and tail shaft. She was detached and has started for Hampton Roads.

**Stock Jump of \$100,000,000**  
Philadelphia, Jan. 12.—The Pennsylvania railroad directors adopted a resolution to submit to the annual meeting a proposition to increase the capital stock by \$100,000,000.

## ROBIN, INDICTED BANKER

New Yorker Accused of Following Methods of C. W. Morse



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**MISSING BROKER IS ADJUDGED BANKRUPT**  
Davies' Debts Estimated at \$400,000 to \$500,000

Boston, Jan. 10.—Robert E. Davies, the missing stock broker, was adjudged bankrupt by order of Judge Dodge in the United States district court. Notice of the proceedings was at once sent to Referee Gibbs of the bankruptcy court and he requested counsel for the petitioning creditors and counsel for the bankrupt to furnish schedules.

As soon as they are in the possession of the bankruptcy court, notices will be sent to all known creditors of Davies of a first meeting for the election of a trustee and the transaction of whatever other business may arise. The meeting is likely to take place some time this month.

Ildor Fox is acting as receiver, having been appointed by Gibbs a few weeks ago.

It is estimated that Davies owes between \$400,000 and \$500,000, and assets in the possession of the receiver at present amount to little.

## ADMITS KILLING WOMAN

Providence Negro Is Held on a Charge of Murder

Providence, Jan. 12.—Clifton E. Thompson, the negro who confessed to the police of the murder of Mrs. Minka Fine, Saturday night, pleaded guilty to the crime when he was arraigned before Judge Gorham on a charge of murder.

The charge was that Thompson "did feloniously kill and slay, with malice aforethought and intent to commit murder, one Mrs. Minka Fine."

Judge Gorham, while the negro wept freely and hung limply to one side, adjudged Thompson probably guilty and bound over without bail for the next session of the grand jury in March.

## RURAL DECREASE SHOWN

Fewer Farmers in New Hampshire During Past Ten Years

Washington, Jan. 12.—According to census statistics for Maine and New Hampshire the latter state is one of the few whose rural population during the last ten years decreased in number.

While in Maine the rural districts held their own in comparison to the municipalities, the thirteenth census indicates that the rural sections of New Hampshire lost more than 5300.

New Hampshire's total increase in population, 18,948, during the decade, was contributed entirely by the municipalities having a population in excess of 5000.

## Torpedo Boats in Collision

Santa Barbara, Cal., Jan. 12.—The torpedo boat destroyer Paul Jones rammed and nearly sank her sister ship, the Steward, during mimic war tactics in the Santa Barbara channel. The Steward's bow was cut almost off, the watertight compartments alone saving the little vessel from sinking.

## Famous Hostelry Destroyed

Watertown, Mass., Jan. 12.—Fire of mysterious origin caused damage estimated by the lessee at \$40,000 to the clubhouse of the Commonwealth Motor and Driving club here last night. This for years had been one of the famous hostleries in New England.

## Chicago Banks Increase Capital

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Stockholders of the National City bank and the Chicago Savings bank have authorized capital increases of \$500,000 each, making totals of \$2,000,000 and \$1,000,000 respectively.

## CHARGED WITH MAIL FRAUD

**Head of Investment Company Is Placed Under Arrest IS CAUGHT IN NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Action by Postoffice Inspectors Simultaneous With De Champlain's Removal as President of Concern at Special Meeting of Stockholders—New England Mill Operatives Said to Be Out More Than \$500,000

Boston, Jan. 12.—The activity of the postal authorities in running down alleged swindlers who have been operating through the United States mails has led to the arrest of Joseph De Champlain of Montreal, who is alleged to have defrauded Canadian mill operatives in New England out of more than half a million dollars through the sale of stock in half a dozen different corporations which he was promoting here.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the New England Investment company at Providence yesterday De Champlain was deposed from the presidency.

De Champlain, who was arrested as he stepped from the Montreal express at Manchester, N. H., was arraigned before United States Commissioner Crawford in that city on a charge of using the mails in furtherance of a scheme to defraud and was held in \$4000 bail pending a hearing Monday.

The arrest of De Champlain was brought about by Postoffice Inspectors Robinson and Stone, who had been directed to make an investigation of the numerous complaints which Chief Letherman of the Boston corps has been receiving for some months past. Letherman says that about \$660,000 was sunk in De Champlain's schemes and it is doubtful if the stockholders will be able to realize anything on their investments.

By means of the New England investment company of Manchester, N. H., De Champlain, it is said, promoted the following concerns which the New England company was supposed to own or control: The American Knoll Putty company of Salem, capitalized at \$100,000; Dunstable Granite company of Dunstable, capitalized at \$50,000; Le Revell Publishing company of Manchester, Lowell and Lawrence, capitalized at \$100,000; Lacombe Coal and Ice company of Lacombe, N. H., capitalized at \$50,000; Manchester Coal and Ice company of Manchester, N. H., capitalized at \$25,000; Beiknap Mills corporation of Lacombe, N. H., capitalized at \$300,000, and the American Publishing company of Providence, capitalized at \$80,000.

The New England company, which was a holding company, it is said, for the rest, was originally organized as the Automobile Pneumatic Lining company on June 11, 1906, and incorporated under the laws of Rhode Island with a capital stock amounting to \$100,000. On July 3, 1906, the name was changed to the New England investment company.

On Feb. 19, 1908, the capital stock of the New England company was increased to \$500,000, with 3781 shareholders. There are now 356,598 shares outstanding, which cost the investors \$668,608, at from 50 cents to \$3 a share. The property, according to a report made to the stockholders on Oct. 5, 1909, was valued at \$231,230.

The property was recently placed in the hands of receivers in the courts of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New Hampshire.

De Champlain, it is alleged, used the receipts from the sale of stock to pay dividends and advertising bills.

## RESIGNS AMBASSADORSHIP

Straus Quits Post at Constantinople After Year and a Half of Service

Washington, Jan. 9.—Oscar S. Straus of New York, former cabinet member and for more than a year and a half American ambassador to Turkey, has resigned his post at Constantinople.

William W. Rockhill, American ambassador to Russia, is likely to succeed him, although this is by no means certain, as several names are under consideration. Announcement of his successor is expected shortly.

## Embezzler's Employers Lenient

London, Jan. 12.—A. W. Finch, the London agent of Phelps, Dodge & Co., of New York, was sentenced to one year's imprisonment for defrauding his employers of \$125,000. The complaining company recommended mercy for the prisoner.

## Woman Suffrage Bill Killed

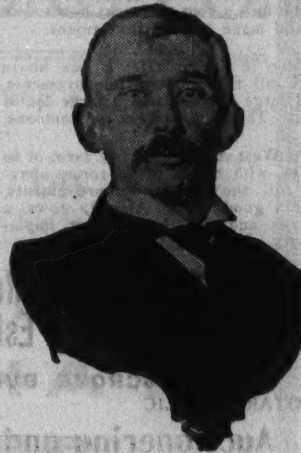
Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 8.—The house, by a vote of 123 to 97, defeated the bill to grant the women of Vermont the right to vote on the license question. The debate took a wide range and every phase was discussed.

## Ex-Premier Franco Exiled

Lisbon, Jan. 12.—Ex-Premier Franco has left Portugal an exile. He was conducted to the frontier by a government representative and he is now at Biarritz.

## CHARLES J. HUGHES, JR.

Senator's Career Ended by General Breakdown



## SENATOR HUGHES DEAD

Colorado Statesman Succumbs After a Long Illness

Denver, Jan. 13.—United States Senator Charles J. Hughes, Jr., senator from Colorado, died in his home here following a general breakdown.

Mr. Hughes had occupied his seat in the senate for less than two years. He gave especial attention to legal and public land questions, and during the last session devoted much time to the railroad bill.

**GIVES \$8000 RATHER THAN GO TO JAIL**

**Woman Convicted of Usury Forfeits Her Bail Bond**

Hartford, Jan. 12.—Doris Griffiths, at one time an agent for D. H. Tolman, a money lender, and who was convicted in the superior court of violation of the state usury law, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$6000 and to serve sixty days in jail, has forfeited the \$8000 bond furnished by her when she took an appeal to the supreme court of the United States, after the state supreme court had affirmed the sentence.

When the appeal was taken, Miss Griffiths gave the bond for her appearance here to serve sentence if her appeal should result adversely. The United States supreme court decided against her, but she did not appear. Instead the state attorney received a check for \$8000, the amount of the bond.

## MONOPLANE IS WRECKED

Latham Uninjured After Drop of Three Hundred Feet

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Hubert Latham, the young French birdman, had a remarkable escape from death on San Francisco's aviation field. He encountered adverse wind conditions that forced him to descend suddenly after he had attained a height of about 300 feet.

Alighting, he crashed into a fence, completely wrecking his Antoinette monoplane. The boatlike body of the craft was smashed into three pieces, breaks occurring just in front and behind the driver's seat. Latham sat tight and escaped without a scratch while his machine splintered about him.

## WILLIAM WHITING DEAD

Rose From Poverty to Position of Wealth and Power

Holyoke, Mass., Jan. 10.—William Whiting, president of the Whiting Paper company, and a former congressman and mayor of this city, died last night of chronic kidney trouble.

Mr. Whiting was one of the most prominent paper manufacturers in the country. He was a delegate to several national Republican conventions and was a close friend of the late President William McKinley.

He was born in Dudley, Mass., March 24, 1841, and from a youth of comparative poverty he rose to a position of wealth and power. He is survived by his widow and two sons.

## Tried to Kill Family

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 12.—Twice prevented by his wife in efforts to end his life, Eric E. Peterson, a wire mill worker, 34 years old, got out of bed, found his hidden razor and tried to kill his sleeping wife and three children, but was frustrated. Later he killed himself by cutting his throat.

## Falls Dead on Wife's Coffin

New York, Jan. 11.—Michael Ormond, a well-to-do retired contractor, fell dead in a Brooklyn church over the coffin which contained the body of his wife. He was 75 years old, and death was due to heart failure induced by grief.

## Three Children Burned to Death

Minneapolis, Jan. 12.—Gladys, Andrew and Evelyn Rooth were burned to death by a fire which destroyed their home. Mrs. Rooth was seriously burned while trying to rescue the children.



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Haverhill Street, near the car line, a fine cottage, with all the modern improvements. Built but a few years.

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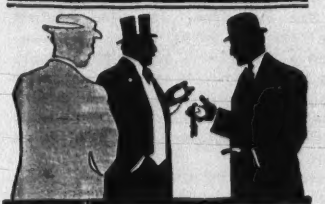
We believe you all know that we are to have a store and show rooms in the new Barnard Block, which we intend to use in connection with the premises we now occupy. This will give us about 12,000 square feet of room devoted wholly to the furniture business. When the new building is ready, it will mean a lot of moving about for us and we want to dispose of as much of our stock as we can to

reduce the cost of moving. To accomplish this we are going to cut our prices 15 per cent on Furniture and 10 per cent on Rugs and Carpets, for the month of January. You may be sure of getting good bargains as there shall be no monkeying with the price tags. The reduction is to all. If you are a charge customer of ours, you are as much entitled to it as cash purchasers.

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### THE STATE BY A COUNTRYMAN ABROAD

#### Some Despicable Methods

One of the most despicable newspaper campaigns, such as only one newspaper in the Commonwealth could be guilty of, is that being carried on at the present time by a Boston newspaper in the effort to defeat the re-election of Senator Lodge. No one can have any issue with an individual or a newspaper, where an honest belief animates both parties, and in this particular case, if this particular Boston newspaper feels that Senator Lodge is not the right man to continue as Senator at Washington, it should use every honest and legitimate effort to defeat his election. But we submit it isn't honest or legitimate for such a continued "baiting" of any man in public life such as that which they are subjecting Speaker Walker to, in this particular campaign.

Speaker Walker is human, unfortunately many people have believed he was a little bit more human than some others in his attempt to cater to the popular will, and in recognition of this very quality, it is evident that the newspaper in question is going everything in its power to hold before him by flattery and cajoling every inducement to yield to what the newspaper in question is doing for clamor at the present time. Speaker Walker should beware. There is no popular clamor against the election of Senator Lodge. The biggest demagogue in Massachusetts has spent days and months in an attempt to fuse all the various disgruntled elements in the Republican party, and in the Commonwealth at large, in such an uprising. He has been assisted by the man who occupies a congressional seat from this district, in a similar endeavor. They in turn have been assisted by a half dozen disgruntled politicians and manufacturers who have had the satisfaction of basking in the sunshine of a little personal notoriety at the expense of these various political disturbers. But all combined—newspaper, demagogues, politicians, and disturbers, have utterly failed in their mission, and the result of the agitation in which they have engaged has been a strengthening of Senator Lodge before the people at large to a remarkable degree.

Speaker Walker is not going to be misled by this sort of agitation, and as he remains firm in his conviction that Senator Lodge is the one man needed at the present time by Massachusetts interests, we trust that his example will strengthen many others, both Republican and Democrat. We are not sure which will be the greatest benefit to the Commonwealth, the re-election of Senator Lodge, or the defeat of such methods as have been pursued by the noisy opposition which he has encountered, and which it is hoped may receive its death blow by his triumphant re-election.

#### Editorial Cinders

It must have been as the papers related, a delightful moment for the Speaker of the National Congress when he ruled during the past week upon a point of order similar to one where he saw his overthrow during the tempestuous times of last spring, and found himself sustained by his colleagues. We wonder if the people at large throughout the nation fully appreciate what it means that he has had an opportunity to re-establish before he leaves the Speaker's chair, the important position that the office of Speaker of the National Congress involves. It will be a sorry day for legislation in this country when the Speaker of such a body as the National Congress is deprived of the power that has so long been vested in that high office, and in other offices of the same sort in other legislative bodies. No more effective brake upon extravagant appropriations and extravagant deliberations exists today, than the power in a man of will and honest purpose who may hold the chair of Speaker. We say there is reason for a great deal of satisfaction that the present Speaker of the National Congress has been able to bring back to the position he occupies, its proper place, through a ruling endorsed by the sober sense of the men who make up that body, irrespective of party affiliations.

We commented last week upon the inaugural address of Governor Foss, with little of approval of it as a whole. There are, however, several interesting and excellent suggestions in the address, not the least important being his recommendation for a State Finance Commission. Looking at this from a business standpoint, no one who has had any experience in state affairs can deny that many improvements in service would surely follow such a probing as the right kind of investigation would give to the state business. From a political standpoint, those who have rejoiced over improved conditions in Boston will not find it easy to deny that the same sort of medicine may help the state. It is going to be up to the "ins" to perform a pretty difficult task if they defeat this very wise suggestion.

It will be very disquieting news that comes to the friends of former President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine Railroad to learn that he is obliged to undergo the amputation of one of his legs. While Mr. Tuttle is a man of splendid physique, and in fine condition for one of his years, yet such things do not come to men between sixty and seventy years of age without causing uneasiness. Although he has retired from the presidency of the Boston & Maine Railroad, he is still a leader of affairs in

### THE TOWN BY A COUNTRYMAN AT HOME

#### A Great Public Service

A correspondent writes us as follows: "You say it is not too late to save the grand old trees in Bailey's Grove. These trees seem to belong to me; I don't want them cut down. I believe that every citizen of Andover feels as I do about these old friends. What are we as citizens to do? Can we help by public meeting to strengthen the hands of the Water Commissioners so as to conserve to our children's children this spot of beauty? There are some things that money cannot buy. These trees are part of our birthright. Let us not sell our birthright for a mess of pottage."

Many other communications by mail and telephone indicate that the people were not only very much surprised, but had become very much aroused over the announcement in last week's Townsman that the Haggitt's Pond trees were doomed. But while many of our good friends who would have liked to do something if they were able to, had queried if something wasn't possible, one of our citizens, who seems to never fail to jump into the breach in such cases as this, had also read the Townsman, and had acted with his usual promptness, the result being that all the woodland included in Bailey's Grove, is now owned by Mr. William M. Wood, calling for one more vote of thanks to this gentleman from the citizens of the town.

We don't know what Mr. Wood's plans are for this property, but without any knowledge of these plans, we do know from a knowledge of the man himself, that those fine old trees will be allowed to stay and will continue as they have been for so many years, the pride of the town, and a joy to all those who can see them. This is the kind of public service that makes a citizen of use to a community, and the Townsman cannot refrain from expressing heartfelt thanks to Mr. Wood for his generous and timely response which has saved these beautiful trees from the woodman's axe.

#### Editorial Cinders

If you haven't seen one of the very much-in-earnest young men who are now almost omnipresent in their efforts to raise money for the Phillips Academy Swimming Pool, you haven't had the most up-to-date experience with enthusiastic endeavor that is now in our midst. They burst in upon you, (of course courteously) and make you think it is worth while spending your next to last cent to help out this very worthy scheme that the students are engaged in at the present time to add to the athletic equipment of the school. There are a considerable number of the old liners who don't believe that the boys will realize their ambition to raise all the money needed on or before February 1, but you only need to get in touch with some of the more enthusiastic who are engaged in this work if the enthusiasm of some of the leaders is being properly backed up by those who are assisting. Probably a swimming pool won't be the last thing that Phillips Academy will become interested in, as an addition to the already effective equipment employed by that institution, but it is the latest thing in which the boys themselves are interested, and the Andover people have abundant reason to be as generous as they can afford in helping out this work. May success come to the effort.

The annual meeting of the National Bank stockholders renews the same board of directors, and incidentally renews the same long-established confidence that the public has in this institution. The present mania for changing from the national bank method of doing banking business to the state trust company, has not yet taken hold of Andover banking men, and it is to be hoped that it won't. There have been times when some people have thought that the Andover bank was over conservative, but if such has been the case, it has been a pretty good side to err upon. It is doubtful if any small town in the state is served by a more substantial financial agent than that which the strong men of Andover have builded and maintained for this town, and every business man, big or little, who avails himself of the service that such an institution can render, is immeasurably helped thereby.

The boarding has been removed from the front of the new "Barnard Building," and Andover has added to her already attractive business square a very handsome structure. Congratulations to builders, architect, and, above all, to owners.

New England, for he needs no high position in the business or political world to make him the sort of man to whom people turn for advice and aid when they have important problems to consider. All New England will hope for his early recovery.

#### Deaths

In Lakeville, Conn., Tuesday, Jan. 10, Mrs. Harry Millspaugh, nee Miss Edith B. Main, formerly of Andover.

In West Andover, Friday, Jan. 6, 1911, aged 13 years, Annie A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Hardy.

In Andover, Saturday, Jan. 7, 1911, aged four months, Althea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Duffon.

### ABBOT ACADEMY RECITAL

George Copeland, the distinguished pianist, was heard in Andover for the first time yesterday afternoon at the second recital in the Abbot Academy series for this year. He gave a delightful program, one in many ways quite out of the ordinary. It consisted of three groups: an eighteenth century group made up of compositions by Bach, Rameau, and Scarlatti; a Chopin group, and a modern group, mostly of Debussy.

Throughout the concert there was an exceptional delicacy and beauty of tone, together with an unusually fine sense of rhythm. The pieces by the early eighteenth century composers charmed by their fleetness and poise, giving much pleasure. In the Chopin group the Etude in A flat major was especially well played and was graciously repeated. But it is in the interpretation of the music of the modern French school that Mr. Copeland stands preeminent. Of his subtle beauty he is a master. This he showed particularly in the playing of the Prelude, and in the Claire de Lune and the Minstrels, both of which were repeated. The two Spanish dances by Albeniz made a brilliant ending to the program. The soloist and date of the third recital will be announced later.

#### Wednesday Whist Party

Mrs. Alexander Grant of Chestnut street entertained several of her friends at bridge whist on Wednesday afternoon. There were five tables, those present being Mrs. John N. Cole, Mrs. Harry M. Eames, Mrs. William Higgins, Mrs. David Shaw, Mrs. H. W. Barnard, Miss Grace Higgins, Miss Minnie Sugatt, Mrs. Arthur Clark, Mrs. Frank Hardy, Mrs. V. J. Huot of Lawrence, Mrs. M. D. Mayo of Wakefield, Mrs. M. Bell of Methuen, Miss Irene Feiles, Miss Agnes Stewart, Mrs. W. D. Twiss, all of Lawrence, Miss Etta Campbell of Wakefield, Miss Mary Spaulding, Mrs. Edward S. Gould, and Mrs. G. C. Webster, also of Lawrence.

The first prize was awarded to Mrs. Edward S. Gould of Lawrence, and the second to Mrs. David Shaw.

#### Old Abbot Catalogues

In response to a request printed in the Townsman some weeks ago, six early catalogues have been presented to Abbot Academy. The most precious of these is one printed by Gould and Newman in September, 1835, for the spring and summer terms of that year, there being at that time four terms, each of eleven weeks. Only two catalogues are known to have been printed before this, one in December, 1832, and one in October, 1834. It is an interesting pamphlet—a present day reader, with its roll of familiar Andover names, seventy-two out of the goodly total of one hundred and twelve students being from the town. In those days the charge for tuition in the English branches was \$5.00 per quarter, in Greek, Latin and French, each one dollar additional. The catalogues belonged to Miss Harriet and Miss Caroline Kendall of Tewksbury, aunts of E. A. Kendall of Chestnut street. His mother has preserved them for many years and now gives them to the Academy.

#### Abbot "Report to Alumnae"

Abbot Academy has just issued a "Report to Alumnae," a pamphlet containing general items of school news, together with a recent talk on "What Abbot Alumnae can do for the School," given by Burton S. Flagg, treasurer of the Academy, before the Abbot club of Boston. It is intended that all former students should have this pamphlet, and any who have not received it should inform the Keeper of Alumnae Records, Miss Jane B. Carpenter, 26 Morton Street, whose business it is to attend to alumnae matters, keeping track of changes in address, recording marriages, deaths, etc. This work will be greatly helped if such items and other facts of interest about alumnae are sent to her.

#### Surprise Party

Fifteen of the friends of Ray Dearborn of Elm street tendered him a surprise party on Thursday evening, which was a very enjoyable affair. Mr. Dearborn observed his birthday last Saturday and the party was arranged on that account. During the evening he was presented with a bookcase. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Those present were: Amy and Bernice, Oscar and Harold Batchelder, all of Reading; Ada, Lizzie and Arthur Cole, Ray, Roy and Marion Dearborn, Harold Cates, Grace Stevens, Mabel Marshall, James Marshall, Florence Curtis, and Bessie Walker.

#### Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Indian Ridge association will be held in the School Committee room on Friday evening, January 20, at eight o'clock. AGNES PARK, Secretary.

#### Card of Thanks

The undersigned wishes to thank the friends and neighbors who gave of their time and sympathy during her recent bereavement.

MRS. HERBERT E. POTTLE.

### Phillips Organ Recital

The first of the winter term series of organ recitals was held on Wednesday afternoon in the Stone chapel, and was well attended. Prof. Joseph N. Ashton was at the organ and rendered the following excellent program:

Maestoso and Intermezzo, op. 17  
Allegretto  
Minuet in G  
Pastorale  
The Little Shepherd  
Overture from Alexander Balus  
Minuet from Overture  
Adagio  
Largo

Gulbins  
Tours  
Handel  
Scarlatti  
Debussy

Handel  
Handel  
Handel

### Dancing Party Last Night

A private dancing party was held in the November club house last evening which was a very enjoyable affair to the thirty couples who attended. It was conducted by a committee of well-known men whose guests made up the gathering. The music was rendered by the Columbian orchestra in their ever-pleasing manner, and at intermission Caterer Allen Hinton served refreshments.

Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Currier, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Groat, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Bodwell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. David Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Meser, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Chester D. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Campion, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Todd of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. George M. R. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pitman, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Coutts, Mrs. Cleveland of Lawrence, Miss Minerva Brackett, Miss Minnie Sugatt, Miss Grace McFarland of Lawrence, Miss Helen Bailey, and Messrs. G. R. Cannon, Ernest W. Pitman, Chas. Zuber, Harold Cole, George Couliard, and Joseph Dunn of Boston.

### Marriage

In Philadelphia, Jan. 10, Edward Twichell Hall of St. Louis, formerly of Andover, to Miss Jessie Gilroy of Philadelphia.



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## ANNUAL CHURCH MEETINGS

Christ Church Supper and Business Session, Held on Monday Evening, South Church Members Held Two Hundredth Meeting Wednesday

The annual parish supper and meeting of Christ church were held on Monday evening of this week, with a good attendance, about one hundred and fifty being present. A delicious supper was served in the chapel at seven o'clock, members of the Girls' Friendly society seeing to it that the wants of all were well provided for. The menu consisted of chicken pie, roast lamb, rolls, coffee, celery, olives, ice cream and cake. The supper was much enjoyed by all and reflected great credit on the work of the committee in charge, which consisted of the following: Mrs. William Higgins, Mrs. F. B. Groat, Mrs. E. W. Pitman, Mrs. J. Tyler Kimball, Mrs. Tuttle, Mrs. Knight, Miss Jennie Thompson and Miss Lucia G. Merrill.

Following the supper the parish members adjourned to the church, where the annual election of parish officers was held as follows:

C. J. R. Humphries, senior warden; J. Tyler Kimball, junior warden; Ezra L. Abbott, clerk; H. Sanford Leach, treasurer; and vestrymen, Charles T. Dole, Harry H. Noyes, Abraham Marland, Dr. W. D. Walker, Henry Nolan, Dr. Albert E. Hulme, Henry G. Tyler; delegates to diocesan convention, C. J. R. Humphries, E. A. Abbott, H. G. Tyler; delegates to archdiocesan convention, John Tyler Kimball, Ezra L. Abbott.

The music committee selected was as follows: Mrs. T. Dennie Thompson, Mrs. J. R. Fuller, Miss Frances Tyler, Miss E. C. Snow, and C. T. Dole, chairman.

The meeting was then once more adjourned to the chapel where several interesting addresses were listened to. Dr. Palmer reviewed the records of the parish; C. J. R. Humphries spoke for the parish, dwelling especially on the co-operation of the people with the rector and the workers of the church; Miss Alice Jenkins gave a report of the Thanksgiving sale held in November; Mrs. H. H. Tyler told of the Woman's United offering which is made every three years for the combined parish; Miss Belle Butterfield spoke for Miss Margaret Grey in regard to the work of the Girls' Friendly society; and Miss Marion Humphries gave the report of the work of the Junior Auxiliary. The enjoyable evening was then brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

The members of the South church met for the two hundredth annual supper and business meeting on Wednesday evening. From six o'clock until quarter to seven the vestrie were filled with the busy hum of conversation which always betokens the enjoyment of a social good time. Annual meetings generally are remarkable for this feature, for at them many old acquaintances are renewed and oftentimes new ones formed.

About seven o'clock the places at the long tables were filled and the first business of the evening, that of enjoying a royal good supper, was commenced. In addition to the platters of turkey, the dishes of mashed potatoes, scalloped oysters, cranberry sauce, celery, etc., with which Caterer Rhodes and his helpers had loaded the tables, and to which strict attention was paid for the first few minutes, there was evidence of the skill of the ladies of the church in the pretty decorations surrounding the many candelabra. These were a delight to all, especially after the first keen edge of appetite had been worn off. The supper was thoroughly enjoyed by all, and it was with happy, contented faces that those present turned to listen to the addresses which were made after the repast.

Mr. Shipman as master of ceremonies introduced the speakers in his usual happy manner, and the first speaker, Francis H. Foster, spoke in his characteristic way on the work of the Sunday school. He was followed by Miss Mary Alice Abbott, who gave some delightful reminiscences of the church during past years, especially of the work of the Women's Union. Miss Abbott's remarks were, as usual, highly entertaining and added in no slight degree to the pleasure of the evening. The last speaker was Rev. James Austin Richards of Mt. Vernon St. church, Boston, always a welcome guest in Andover and at the South church. Mr. Richards, refraining from following the spirit of reminiscence which had prevailed throughout the two preceding addresses, confined himself to a few terse remarks in regard to the need of the church today. He said that both men and churches are in imminent danger of remaining in a passive state of discipleship and not attaining to the active state of apostleship. Lack of failure, he said, in a church's history might indicate that nothing had been attempted which had threatened failure, and that the need of the church today is that it work into the apostleship as well as the discipleship.

Following the address the meeting was adjourned to the Sunday school room, where the annual business was transacted. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Clerk, Myron E. Gutterston; treasurer, Judge C. U. Bell; members of Prudential Committee for four years, Frederick H. Jones; for three years, Francis H. Foster; deaconess, Mrs. J. W. Barnard; auditor for four years, E. Kendall Jenkins; superintendent of the Sunday School, Jonathan E. Holt; assistant superintendent, Harry Purington; secretary, Dr. M. B. McTernan; superintendent of the intermediate department, Miss Louise Hardy; of the primary department, Miss Lucy Anne Allen; of the kindergarten, Miss Helen Holt; ushers, Fred Cheever (head usher), Wm. Batchelder, Reginald Chutter, Roy Hardy, Philip Hardy, Percy Holt, C. Douglas Lindsay, James Marshall, Alex Morrison, Augustus Porter, Archibald Tyler, and Albert Porter. The delegates to the Andover asso-

## Grange Installation

The recently elected officers of Andover Grange, P. of H., No. 183, were installed in their respective offices on Tuesday evening. The installing officer was E. A. Emerson of Haverhill. He was assisted by his sister, Mrs. Wasson, also of Haverhill. Following the installation ceremonies Mr. Emerson presented Ralph A. Bailey, the retiring master, with a past master's badge. A bounteous supper was then enjoyed by all, among those present being several visitors from North Andover. The new officers are as follows:

Master, George M. Carter; overseer, Fred A. Swanton; lecturer, Miss Madeleine Hewes; steward, E. Burke Thornton; assistant steward, Frederic E. Cheever; chaplain, Frank M. Foster; treasurer, Edward W. Burtt; secretary, Edward W. Burtt; gate keeper, James Grosvenor; Ceres, Mrs. George M. Carter; Pomona, Mrs. Fred A. Swanton; Flora, Mrs. Frank M. Foster; lady assistant steward, Miss Luella Phelps; pianist, Mrs. E. Burke Thornton.

The committees are as follows: Executive: Fred M. Hill, Fred A. Swanton, Samuel H. Bailey. Literary: George M. Carter, Ralph A. Bailey, Edward W. Burtt, James Feeney, Ira B. Hill, Mrs. George M. Carter, Mrs. Milo H. Gould, Miss Clara A. Putnam, Mrs. James Feeney, Miss Madeleine Hewes. Visiting: Mrs. F. M. Foster, Mrs. J. W. Moorar, Mrs. E. W. Boutwell, Mrs. S. H. Bailey, Mrs. D. F. Fitz, Miss Spickler.

## Grange Program for the Year

The program for the year's work of the Andover Grange has been prepared by the lecturer, Miss Madeleine Hewes, and is given below. As can be seen, numerous interesting evenings have been planned and the entire program promises to be of unusual worth and value to the members of the Grange.

Jan. 24—Report of the State Grange meeting by Past Master Ralph A. Bailey.

Topics for discussion:  
a: Improved Farm Machinery.  
b: What labor saving device has been the greatest benefit to mankind?

Feb. 14—Valentine Party.

Feb. 25—Educational Night.

Mar. 14—Fun and Frolic in honor of St. Patrick.

Mar. 28—The Grange:

a: Its Purpose.  
b: Its Opportunity.  
c: Its Influence.

The Grange Picture Gallery.

Apr. 11—First and Second Degrees.

Apr. 25—Third and Fourth Degrees.

Inspection.

Supper.

May 19—Competitive Debate with a neighboring Grange.

May 23—Patriotic Night in charge of Flora.

June 13—To be announced.

June 27—Children's Night.

July 25—Lawn Party.

Aug. 22—Vacation Night.

Sept. 12—A Barnyard Concert.

Sept. 26—The Grange Paper.

The Sheaves.

Oct. 10—Visitors' Night. Danvers and West Boxford will furnish the entertainment.

Supper.

Oct. 24—Ceres' Night.

Exhibition of Crops.

Nov. 14—The Farm Kitchen:

a: What it should contain.  
b: His rights and her rights.

Nov. 28—To be announced.

Dec. 5—Election of Officers.

Dec. 19—Yuletide.

## Triple Installation

A triple installation of the officers-elect of Gen. William F. Bartlett Post, 99, G. A. R., Gen. William F. Bartlett Relief Corps, No. 127, and Walter L. Raymond Camp, No. 111, Sons of Veterans, took place in the G. A. R. hall on Friday evening. Following the installation ceremonies refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. The officers installed were as follows:

Bartlett Post—Commander, Geo. W. Chandler; senior vice-commander, John McLaughlin; junior vice-commander, Henry Cluke; surgeon, Geo. K. Dodge; quartermaster, Moses L. Farnham; officer of the day, John Hutchins; patriotic instructor, James Saunders; installing officer, Walter F. Parker; delegate to department encampment, E. K. Jenkins; alternate, George K. Dodge; adjutant, J. Warren Berry; sergeant major, Ballard Holt; quartermaster sergeant, James Saunders.

Women's Relief Corps—President, Mrs. M. Belle Eastman; senior vice-president, Mrs. Hattie Smith; junior vice-president, Mrs. Helen Allen; treasurer, Mrs. Esther Holt; chaplain, Mrs. Stephen Jackson; conductor, Mrs. Carrie Buchanan; delegate to state convention, Miss Sadie Hobbs; alternate, Miss Mae Morrill; guard, Mrs. Susie J. Mears.

Sons of Veterans—Commander, M. C. Evans; senior vice-commander, Floyd Eastman; junior vice-commander, Charles Damon; secretary, H. D. Flint; treasurer, W. A. Buxton; camp council, Joseph D. Rivers, Jesse Billington, J. H. Kilbee; delegate to state convention, Floyd Eastman; alternate, Joseph D. Rivers.

Peter D. Smith, who was elected chaplain of Post 99, was unable to be inducted into office owing to his illness.

Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. J. Warren Berry, Dr. Guy W. Gilbert, Mrs. Newton Jaquith, Charles H. Shearer, and Miss Emily R. Torrey. Burton S. Flagg was chosen as the South church member of the executive committee of the Andover Civic League.

The reports of the officers of the past year were read and accepted. The statistics of the clerk showed the membership of the church to be 389, a net gain of 12 over 1909. The Sunday school report showed receipts of \$518.80 and expenditures of \$24.30, with a membership in the school of 410. Appropriations for the coming year were made and several other minor matters attended to. The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 o'clock.

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## OBITUARIES

### MRS. E. MAIN MILLSPAUGH

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Edith Main Millsbaugh of Lakeville, Conn. Mrs. Millsbaugh was a niece of Mrs. Stephen Jackson and Mrs. Fulton Main of Andover, and for several years lived in the family of the late Prof. Coy of Phillips Academy. When Prof. Coy took charge of the Hotchkiss School at Lakeville, Miss Main went with him and later married Mr. Harry Millsbaugh of that town. She leaves two young children besides her husband.

### ALTHEA DUFTON

Althea Dufton, the four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dufton of 160 High street, was found dead last Saturday morning. The child died probably between one o'clock and half past six Saturday morning, death being due to some unknown cause. When seven weeks old the little one sustained an attack of pneumonia, and it is thought that the weakened heart which resulted from this illness suddenly failed.

The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Bowser of St. Augustine's church, South Lawrence, officiating. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

### ANNIE A. HARDY

Annie A. Hardy, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Albert A. and Mary E. Hardy of West Andover, died at her home last Friday after an illness of two weeks.

The child had been a regular attendant at the North school and was enjoying her usual degree of health when the school closed for the Christmas recess. The following Tuesday she was taken ill, death ensuing on Friday last.

The funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. W. J. Twort of Haverhill officiating. He was assisted by Rev. Mr. Longley of the Wood Memorial church in South Lawrence. Burial was in the West Parish cemetery.

The floral tributes were beautiful and numerous. In her folded hands little Miss Hardy held thirteen carnations given by the family. The other flowers were given as follows: Spray of white roses, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hardy; spray of white pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Munroe K. Fuller; basket of mixed flowers, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Russell; spray of pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Hardy and family; spray of pinks, George W. Mears and family; spray of white pinks, Rev. William J. Twort of Haverhill; spray of pink and white hyacinths, F. D. Valpey; spray pink carnations, Alfred Mmor; spray pinks, Grant Minor and family; spray of white pinks, A. M. Sturr; pinks, Geo. O. Abbott; pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Bertam Gardner; spray white pinks, Miss Margaret Phillips; spray hyacinths, Ladies' Aid of the Wood Memorial church in South Lawrence; white roses from Sunday school teacher and class; basket of mixed flowers, Wood Memorial church; white pinks, Miss Grace F. Kline; pink sweet peas, Miss Annie A. Shirley, teacher of the North school; and a raised wreath of sweet peas bearing the word "Schoolmate," from the pupils of the North School.

The bearers were the father, Albert A. Hardy; her brother, Bert Hardy; her uncle, William H. Russell, and her great-uncle, Archie McKinnon.

The deceased was a very lovable child and will be greatly missed, not only in the home circle, but among those who knew her in her school and church. She was a member of the Wood Memorial church. Besides her father and mother, there are left two sisters, Miss Helen Hardy and Mrs. Munroe Fuller, and a brother, Bert Hardy.

## National Bank Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Andover National Bank was held at the banking rooms on Tuesday morning of this week. The following officers were elected at the meeting: President, Nathaniel Stevens; vice-president, Joseph A. Smart; directors, the president and vice-president, and John H. Flint, John F. Kimball, James C. Sawyer, George F. Smith, and Samuel D. Stevens.

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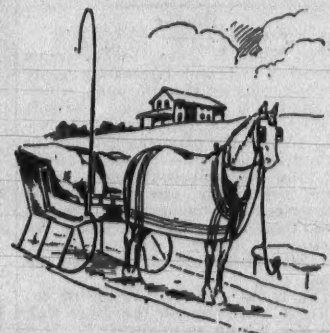
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## AMONG THE CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

## K. O. E. Club Dance

The K. O. E. club held a dancing party in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening.

Among those present were Misses Florence Soutar, Marie and Louise Daly, Annie Sweeney, May Roger, Mary Maroney, Ruth O'Connell, Ethel Casey, Jane Mullen, Alice Weeks, Eva Hayes, Sarah Kershaw and May Storer.

Messrs. Joseph Daly, Clarence O'Connell, Arthur Eastward, Daniel Doyle, George Collins, George Sheehan, Walter O'Connell, Wm. Sears, Francis Maroney, John Killackey, William Burns, Peter Dugan, Harold Morse, John Shattuck and William Manning.

Those in charge were: Floor director, James F. Daly; assistant floor director, Joseph J. Daly; aids, P. Dugan, L. Flannagan, J. Remmes, A. Eastwood, C. O'Connell, F. Remmes and E. O'Connell.

## BOWLING

## R. C. O. A. Won Four

The R. C. O. A. bowling team defeated the Trimmers in the Andover bowling league Wednesday evening, taking the three strings and the total. The first string was close but was finally won by the R. C. O. A. by four pins, 409 to 405. The R. C. O. A. took the second string 408 to 399, the third string 397 to 382 and the total 1214 to 1186. Smith of the Trimmers was high roller with 101 for a single string and 270 for three strings.

R. C. O. A.				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Saunders	81	86	84	251
Donald	82	70	82	233
Lindsay	83	80	76	239
P. Hardy	91	81	74	246
R. Hardy	82	82	81	245

TRIMMERS				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Smith	101	89	80	270
Abbott	80	62	75	217
Sparks	72	84	74	230
Dummy	72	70	74	216
Warden	80	85	79	244

Total 409 408 397 1214

## White Sox Win

The White Sox and the Caledonians met on Monday evening in the opening match of the fifteenth week of the Andover Bowling league series. The former won all four points. The summary:

WHITE SOX				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Anderson	78	80	83	241
MacDonald	98	97	87	282
Murphy	82	82	77	241
Ross	89	92	93	274
Skea	93	89	85	267

CALEDONIANS				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Innes	76	82	98	256
Hutcheson	82	82	72	236
Nicoll	81	89	81	251
MacKenzie	90	89	70	249
Eagle	72	84	84	240

Totals 440 440 425 1305

## Overseers Defeat Supers

The Superintendents and the Overseers of the Smith & Dove mills, contended in a game of Duck Pins on the Hillside House alleys for the third time this season, last Friday evening. The Overseers won three points, including the pinfall by 35 pins.

Carson of the Overseers team was high roller of the game last Friday, having a single string of 103 and a total of 285. Coutts, also of the Overseers, was next high man, with a total of 281. Lawson was honor man for the Supers with a single of 102 and a total of 278.

SUPERS				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Bodwell	69	84	85	238
Boutwell	80	86	87	253
Lawson	87	102	89	278
Lamont	70	79	90	239
Bradford	90	94	91	275

OVERSEERS				
Bowler	1	2	3	Ttl
Reed	83	73	104	260
Coutts	92	79	90	261
McDonald	76	81	77	234
McCarthy	78	90	80	248
Carson	103	90	92	285

Totals 432 413 443 1308

## Hockey

The Smith & Dove Hockey teams played a fast and interesting game last Saturday on the mill pond, which resulted in a scoreless tie. The soft condition of the rink prevented passing so that the play was confined to scrimmage about the center. McDonald, the old mill goalkeeper, saved three times only, one a miraculous stop, while Muldowney, the new mill custodian, never had to touch the puck.

A fairly large crowd witnessed the game.

The teams will play off the tie tomorrow afternoon on the same rink and will line up as follows:

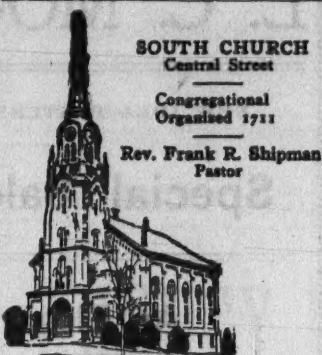
Muldowney, g. McDonald  
Hodge, p. Gibson  
Valentine, c.p. G. Elisey  
K. Spark, r. R. D. Spark  
Harkens, r.f. r.f. Lawrence  
Haddley, c.f. c.f. Scanlon  
S. Elisey, l.f. l.f. Anderson  
Carson C. Murphy

## Punchard Loses First Game

The Punchard hockey team met North Andover in a game on Wednesday afternoon, defeating them 1 to 0. The game was played in North Andover. The only scoring was done by Collins in the first period. The Punchard lineup was as follows:

Collins, rw.  
S. Boland, rc.  
Whitman, lc.  
Sellers, lw.  
Bingham, cp.  
F. Boland, p.  
Shattuck, g.

## CHURCH CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK



**SOUTH CHURCH**  
Central Street  
Congregational  
Organized 1711  
Rev. Frank R. Shipman  
Pastor

10.30. Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor. Also Sunday kindergarten.  
11.50. Sunday School.  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30. Stereopticon lecture by Mr. Ray S. Hubbard of Boston, on the work of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.  
7.45. Tuesday. Courteous Circle.  
7.45. Wednesday. Midweek meeting.  
3.30. Thursday. Foreign missionary meeting of the Women's Union.  
7.15. Thursday. K. O. K. A.  
7.45. Thursday. Choir practice.

## WEST CHURCH

West Parish

Congregational

Organized 1856

Rev. Dean A. Walker

Pastor



10.30. Morning worship. Address by Ray S. Hubbard of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
3.00. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.00. Meeting in Osgood schoolhouse.  
7.45. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.  
2.30. Thursday. Ladies' meeting at Mrs. Richard Ward's.  
7.00. Thursday. C. E. social.

## FREE CHURCH, Congregational

Elm Street

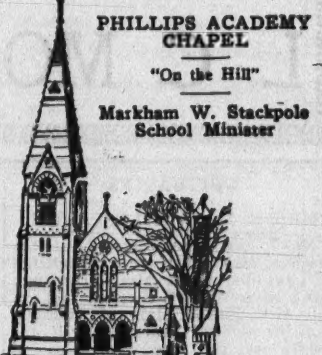
Organized 1846

Rev. Frederic A. Wilson

Pastor



10.30 a.m. Worship, with sermon by Rev. George H. Credeford of Ward Hill.  
12.00. Sunday school and Prof. Ryder's Bible class.  
6.30 p.m. The Y. P. S. C. E. Subject, "Abraham."  
7.30. Evening service. Address by the pastor on "The First Man," the second in a series of Old Testament studies.  
7.00 p.m., Monday. K. O. K. A.  
7.45 p.m., Monday. Annual meeting of the parish.  
7.00 p.m., Wednesday. The annual church business meeting and supper.



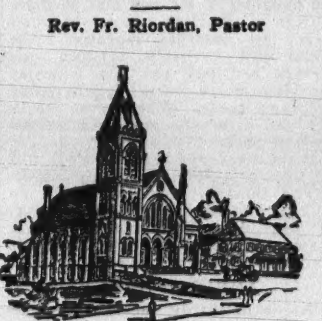
**PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL**  
"On the Hill"  
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School Minister

Services at 10.30 and 5.15. Preacher, Rev. G. Glenn Atkins D.D., of Providence.

11.30. Sunday School in Bartlett chapel.

Roman Catholic Organized 1830

Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor



8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction, Sunday-school following.  
10.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon.  
3.30 p.m. Vespers.  
First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.  
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for the children.  
Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary Arch Confraternity.

## NORTH PARISH CHURCH

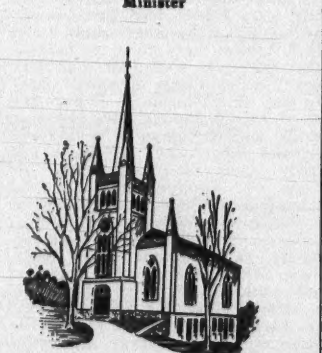
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No. Andover Centre

Organized 1645

Rev. Wm. S. Nichols

Minister



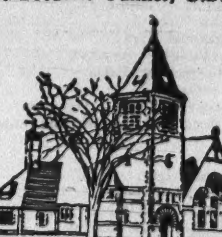
10.30 a.m. Morning worship.  
11.45 a.m. Sunday school.  
Electric cars from Elm square connect at Wilson's Corner going both ways.  
Take car leaving Elm square at 10.15 and transfer for North Andover Centre.  
A cordial welcome to all.

## CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal, Organized 1831

Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D., Rector



10.30 a.m. Morning prayer, with sermon by the rector.  
12.00 p.m. Sunday School.  
7.30 p.m. Evening prayer, with Bible lecture by the rector.  
7.45 p.m., Monday. K. O. K. A.  
3.45 p.m., Tuesday. Junior Auxiliary.  
7.45 p.m., Tuesday. Girls' Friendly society.  
2.30 p.m., Thursday. Woman's Guild.  
3.45 p.m., Thursday. Boy Scouts.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1833

Rev. W. E. Lombard

Pastor



10.30 a.m. Preaching by the pastor.  
11.45 a.m. Sunday School.  
6.30 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.15 p.m. Gospel service.  
7.30 p.m., Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

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## McDOUGALL'S MUSINGS

## Lest We Forget

I take this opportunity to thank my friends who have sent me Christmas cards, oranges, books, grapefruit and dates, eggs, short-bread and cakes, calendars, ribbons and keepsakes, buns, ginger-bread and portraits. I have greetings from Nebraska, Iowa, Scotland, Nova Scotia, Ireland and France. To answer as I would wish all these kindly Christmas and New Year courtesies of my friends, I would require a private secretary and stenographer. The Townsman, the best little paper in Essex County, will let all these friends know that McDougall is not ungrateful.

"Blow, blow thou wintry wind. Thou art not so unkind As man's ingratitude."

Our chief the Editor told us to look at the cover of "Munsey" for this month. I don't care much for "Munsey" nor the crude Tariff notions of Mr. Munsey, but after looking at the cover, like Eve with the apple, I looked at the inside as well as the cover.

The short article on our immense country with the amount of our farm produce in dollars must make us proud of America. Yet after all it is the little village of London that saves us in time of need. The writer of the article brings out this truth forcibly and refers to it more than once. Not to be thought jealous or egotistical, may I be permitted to say that Scotland produces more wheat per acre than America. Oats in this state weigh 33 to 34 pounds per bushel, while Scotch oats weigh 40 to 42 pounds. In Iowa and Ohio 36 pounds is thought to be a good weight while Oregon comes nearest Scotland with 38 pounds per bushel in that state. Barley is also grown heavier per bushel in Scotland and more bushels per acre on an average of acres grown. The reason that this is true is because the British farmer makes a rotation of crops and puts manure on the land, you call it intensive farming in America. For example, wheat is never sown twice in the same field until the field has been cropped, manured, and so to speak, rested by other crops, thus clover and Timothy are sown with the wheat. This makes clover hay which is cut first year, then next year it is pasture and eaten by cattle or sheep. Next year it is again pasture. Then the third year it is ploughed and sown with oats. After oats, it is ploughed in the fall and again in the spring and manured for a potato crop. Then ten to fifteen tons per acre of manure are spread and the field ploughed and sown to winter wheat. Some farmers only grow wheat on the same field once in seven years instead of once in five years. Corn (Indian) is not grown in Scotland. The humid climate and slower growth accounts for the higher weight per bushel of the oats grown in Ireland, England, Scotland and France.

After the agricultural article in Munsey, the gossip about Napoleon and his sisters is racy and shows that it was true philosophy which long ago assured us that every thing in this world was vanity and vexation of spirit. All is vanity, as we think of Napoleon's sarcastic, cynical remark when his youngest sister cut out her hair and put it in the coffin with her dead husband. "Hm," said

Napoleon, "that is all right. You know that you also have had a fever and your hair would fall out so getting it cut off will make it grow better," is just a correct specimen of the man. Napoleon never thought that anyone ever did an honest or disinterested action. All is vanity. It is just 100 years since the Bonaparte family were it. Today they are only remembered as upstairs who deceived France. It was a surprise to me just when I was reading about Napoleon in the Munsey to be handed five volumes of the Memoirs of Napoleon Bonaparte, written by "Bourrienne," his private secretary. Such things do happen now and again and we call them spiritual phenomena or some big name. The donor of these five books did not know that I was just reading the gossip about the vain sisters of Napoleon but he knew that I visited the field of Waterloo and was interested in anything about France.

Today only to read the last will and testament of Napoleon is a revelation.

"Item III—Three small mahogany boxes containing the thirty-three snuff boxes. The second twelve boxes with the Imperial arms, two small eye telescopes and four boxes found on the table of Louis XVIII in the Tuilleries on the 25th of March, 1815. The third, three snuff boxes ornamented with silver medals, habitually used by the Emperor. I entrust these articles to the care of "Marchand" my principal valet de chambre and direct him to convey them to my son when he shall attain the age of sixteen years."

Here we have note of 52 snuff-boxes. Yes it is true and pity it is true in 1810 when Napoleon took a pinch of snuff all Europe sneezed; today he is only a pinch of dust.

"Vanity of vanity," saith the preacher, "all is vanity."

Tobacco used in the form of snuff is not so common in this country as it was in Scotland 60 years ago. The snuff box was often made of silver, lined with gold. Handsome snuff mulls were made from cattle's horns and a cairngorm stone for a lid. In the church when we got a 45 minute sermon I have seen the snuff box handed from one person to the other in the pew three times during the sermon.

I may mention that the clergy in France are not allowed to smoke tobacco but the desire for nicotine in the human race is seen especially in the older men who use snuff freely as I suppose there is no law against taking a snuff.

I heard an old Scotch deacon over 90 saying that a sermon that had not the four R's in it was not worth a snuff. His four R's were, "Ruin by the Fall, Redemption by the Cross, Regeneration by the Spirit, and Reunion in Heaven."

Since I began to write this snuff letter a dear Scotch friend has given me as a New Year's gift two ounces of Scotch snuff. So if I had some Scotch whiskey I would be all in order. Let us try to follow out the motto on a calendar I highly prize as I got it from a friend I love. "Happiness is a habit; cultivate it."

IAN McDOUGALL

## ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES

## Boston Theatres

Tremont—"The Follies of 1910." Majestic—"Madame X." Castle Square—"Jack and the Bean Stalk." Shubert—"Judy Forgot." Boston—Sarah Bernhardt. Park—"Arsene Lupin." Hollis St.—"The Return of Peter Grimm." Colonial—"The Echo." Grand Opera House—"At the Old Cross Roads."

## TREMONT

"The Follies of 1910" which is playing at the Tremont is seen by large and interested houses at every performance. F. Zeigfeld, the producer, has succeeded in gathering a large number of stars and the appearance of each is the signal for a division of the interest. The piece is the concentration of twenty comedies boiled into one.

## HOLLIS STREET

Boston has been so well pleased with "the return of Peter Grimm" that David Warfield has consented to extend his engagement at the Hollis Street theatre in this popular piece. There has been a very lively interest in the play not only in Boston but all over New England as shown by the advance sales of seats.

## COLONIAL

Bessie McCoy began her last week at the Colonial in "The Echo" on Monday. This piece has proved to be one of the most interesting attractions of the season thus far. Added to the grace and agility of Miss McCoy is the dexterity of Arthur Hill, one of the most clever animal impersonators that has been in Boston for a long time.

## SHUBERT

"Judy Forgot," the play that opened at the Shubert last Monday night for a two weeks' run, is a play that will be remembered for some little time. Marie Cahill as Judy grows more and more entertaining the more she forgets while she is breaking all past records in the making of song hits.

## Great Musical Show Coming to Lawrence

"The Soul Kiss," the throbbing, palpitating success of the musical stage, that has been the vogue of New York and the East for months, will be presented in this city on Friday, January 20, at the Opera House, and indicates the possibility of creating a wild sensation. All that stirs the material soul to admiration, sympathy

## "Il Trovatore," the World's Favorite Opera

So much has been said of the great artists that comprise the Sheehan English Grand Opera Company and so well known is the opera of "Il Trovatore" that it seems almost useless to go into details. However, as there are many who have a mistaken idea in regard to grand opera it may not be amiss to say a few words on the subject.

Of all the world's operas "Il Trovatore" is the most popular, picturesque and tuneful. Many of the best airs in the leading comic operas are taken from its tuneful melodies. Almost every street organ depends upon "Il Trovatore" for its melody.

The "Anvil Chorus" is one of the most beautiful numbers ever put on any stage. This setting represents a gypsy camp in the mountains surrounded by rocks and ruins on all sides; in the clearing are numerous anvils, with their electrical effects, used in making the armor for the soldiers before going to the wars.

The famous "Miserere," in the tower scene, is beyond description. It must be seen and heard to be appreciated. The tower of the prison overlooking the rocky coast of Spain is a most impressive sight. As for the music, when one recalls the great trio at the end of the first act, the world renowned "di Quella Fira," said to be the greatest tenor solo ever written, the fine baritone solo, "Il Balen," the great duet between the soprano and baritone, and dozens of others, it is easy to realize why "Il Trovatore" has been for fifty years the most popular opera the world has ever known.

The Sheehan English Grand Opera Company comes to the Lawrence Opera House, Monday evening, January 16, for a single performance of "Il Trovatore," with its all star cast.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## Essex, ss.

## PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry Cunningham, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Abbie W. Cunningham who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, as Abby Cunningham, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the thirtieth day of January, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## Essex, ss.

## PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie L. Bell late of Andover in said County, singlewoman, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Margaret L. Middleton who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the sixteenth day of January, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

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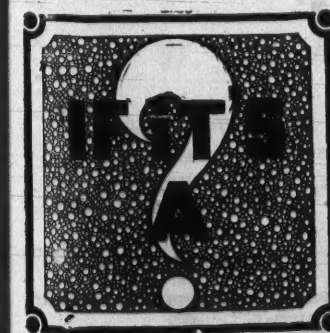
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## PSALM XLV

The allegorical or messianic interpretation of this Psalm is given by the oldest interpreters, both Jewish and Christian. A Chaldee paraphrase renders the second verse, "Thy beauty, O King Messiah, is beyond that of the children of men." The scene seems to be laid in the court of Solomon, and the occasion his marriage with Pharaoh's daughter, and the significance, the intimate relation between the Jewish Messiah and the world without, by this union of their most magnificent king with a foreign princess. In opposition to the messianic meaning, the Psalm has been associated with various kings, some of them heathens. Prof. Briggs supposes that it was written to celebrate the marriage of John I and entirely ignores its messianic significance.

The objection to this interpretation lies in the fact that it was impossible for these writers in the dim light of the Old Testament periods, to have had any clear conception of the incarnation, or to have accepted it if presented to their minds. God's name for them was not Love but Righteousness. Their thought of him was "He will by no means clear the guilty." They had heard the name Immanuel (God with us), but that it could mean "God manifest in (human) flesh" was far above, out of their sight. How then could the Messiah as we know him, have appeared in their writings? This holds good if the Old Testament writings are purely human like our own. But Peter tells us that they who foretold the coming salvation sought to know what the spirit of the Messiah which was in them did signify when it testified beforehand of the sufferings of the Messiah, and of the glory which should follow. For he continues, "No prophecy of Scripture is of private interpretation," (i.e., is not a prognostication made by one who knows what he means.—Alford). For prophecy never came by the will of man, but men spoke from God, being borne on by the Holy Spirit, II Pet. 1:20, 21. St. John tells us that in a somewhat similar way the wicked Caiaphas, in pleading for the death of Jesus, unwittingly proclaimed the precious truth that Jesus should die not for the Jewish nation only, but for all the world. Now, if in the common affairs of life it may be said of one that he blindly builded better than he knew, shall it be thought incredible that one who "spoke from God as moved by the Holy Spirit," while so far as his own intention went, he was expressing only a subordinate or figurative meaning, might by the same words convey some eternal truth to those who should afterwards read them in the light of the gospel; as Paul tells us that what things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through faith and patience of the Scriptures might have hope.

I desire to find the meaning of this Psalm in the light of similar prophecies, and their fulfillment; remembering that those who fulfilled them were not aware of it at the time and only afterwards remembered the prophecy and recollected that they had done to Christ the things foretold of Him. Jno. 12:16.

This Psalm is written under an affluence nowhere else recorded in the Bible—as if under the pressure of a mystery too profound to be realized. V. 1. My heart is boding with goodly matter. I am speaking my work—my poem of a king. My pen is as nimble as my tongue.

His soul is enraptured with the theme, and his words well up from the depths like the waters of a powerful spring. (2) Fair, fair art thou above the children of men—chiefest among the thousand, altogether lovely. (Song of Solomon).

In 33:17, Thine eyes shall see the king in his beauty. Jehovah is our judge, our law-giver. Jehovah is our king. Grace is poured into His lips. See Luke 4:22, They were amazed at the gracious words that fell from his mouth. Also, Jno. 7:46, Never man spake like this man. The multitudes were very attentive to hear him. Therefore God hath blessed thee forever. These same words are used of the Messiah in Nathan's prophecy, I Chron. 17:27.

Vs. 3, 4. The king is not only fair to look upon and charming in his speech; he is invincible in war. "Gird thy sword upon thy thigh. In thy glory and majesty ride on to prosper in behalf of truth and righteous meekness. See Rev. 6:2, Behold a white horse, and to his driver was given a crown and he went forth conquering and to conquer, 19:11 . . . and he that sat thereon is faithful and true and in righteousness doth he judge and make war, and upon his thigh was a name, King of Kings and Lord of Lords.

V. 5, Thine arrows are sharp—the peoples fall under thee. Cf. I Cor. 15:25, He must reign until he hath put all enemies under his feet; also, Is. 55:35, Rom. 14:11, Phil. 2:10, 11.

V. 6, Thy throne, O God, is forever and ever. See Heb. 1:8, where the Psalm is quoted verbatim. To the Son He saith, Thy throne, O God, is forever and ever. A sceptre of righteousness is the sceptre of thy kingdom. Thou hast loved righteousness and hated iniquity. Therefore thy God hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.

We have seen the Messiah in his character and talents and exploits, and now, Vs. 8, 9, we behold him arrayed for his wedding. As in Revelation the marriage appears in immediate connection with his triumph. The Queen consort at his right hand in gold of Ophir; she for whom the battle has been fought and the victory won, not without toil and struggle, not without blood, even his own blood, which he shed for the life of the world.

We may fancy that Vs. 10, 11 are a part of the marriage ceremony in which the Father Almighty begins with an exhortation to the bride. Harken, O daughter, and see and incline thine ear. Forget thine own people and thy father's house; for the king may desire thy beauty; for he is thy God. He that loveth father and mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all that he

hath cannot be my disciple. See also Eph. 5:25.

The exhortation is followed by a promise. The daughter of Tyre should be there with a gift. The rich among the people shall seek thy favor. Cf. Is. chapter 40. All the glories of its sublime beauty are summed up in this verse 12. For Tyre, the great emporium of the ancient world, the center of navigation for its time, is the type of the wealth and power that shall yet belong to the kingdom of the Most High. The nations of the earth shall bring their riches and honor into it.

Now follows a description of the bride. All glorious is the king's daughter in the inner palace (awaiting her conveyance to the house of her Lord). On richly woven carpets and with a band of virgins she is about to be conducted to the king. Her garments are of woven gold. Cf. the description in Rev. 19:8, of the bride of the Lamb. The marriage of the Lamb is come and his wife has made herself ready. Arrayed in fine linen, bright and pure, which is the righteousness of the saints. In 21:2 she is represented as a city, the new Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from her God. A glorious church without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, holy and without blemish. Eph. 5:27, And they shall see his face and his name shall be in their foreheads. Rev. 22:4, 14:1, 7:3, 9:4, And there shall be no night there and the city hath no need of the sun, for the Lord God shall give the light and they shall reign forever and ever. Similar is the conclusion of our Psalm. Thou shalt set thy children as princes in all the earth. Thy name shall be memorable in all generations. Therefore shall the peoples—ive thee thanks forever and ever.

Such is the description given in this beautiful allegory of the future kingdom of God, of which we may, if we choose, be a part. Imperfectly preserved by its own author in the dim twilight of the old dispensation; brighter but not fully clear in Our Saviour's advent; rising above the horizon on the day of Pentecost, and apparently approaching its zenith in this twentieth century, to be consummated in perfect glory only when the kingdoms of this world shall have become the kingdom of Jehovah and his Christ.

## Bowling at the Hillside Alleys

Teams A and B of the Smith & Dove Repairs department played a very interesting game of Duck Pins six men a-side, on the Hillside House alleys last Monday evening. Team B won, taking all four points. Indeed the game was interesting only in that it showed rather poor scoring on both sides, all the crack being off play. Welch of the Team B was high man with the small total of 254. Guthrie was high for Team A with a total of 252.

The summary:

	TEAM B		
Scarlant	90	71	84
Anderson	76	95	78
Keele	71	86	75
Jamieson	73	84	88
Couley	63	62	72
Welch	83	83	85
Totals	456	484	482

	TEAM A		
Dick	73	84	73
Jackson	60	59	66
Stirling	67	76	70
Guthrie	84	79	80
Germain	73	63	73
Jarvis	84	90	76
Totals	441	451	447

## Outlaws Take Four Points

The Outlaws took all four points from the White Sox on Tuesday evening. Flanders of the Outlaws had the highest single string of 106. The summary:

	OUTLAWS		
Flanders	80	81	106
MacDonald	75	79	73
Ryley	101	82	72
Roggerman	90	90	96
Ralph	93	84	79
Totals	439	416	426

	RANGERS		
Bailey	79	75	83
Watt	81	78	71
Donovan	89	87	84
Hyde	82	98	83
Matthews	77	75	90
Totals	410	413	411

## Report of the Condition of the Andover National Bank

At Andover, in the State of Massachusetts at the close of business, January 7, 1911.

	RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$348,477.00	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	124.80	
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00	
United States, etc.	45,501.00	
Banking House, furniture and fixtures	6,000.00	
Due from approved reserve agents	119,827.70	
Checks and other cash items	1,002.30	
Notes of other National Banks	2,700.00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	208.58	
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	20,644.40	
Legal-tender notes	1,000.00	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent of circulation	2,400.00	
Total	\$386,156.04	

	LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$125,000.00	
Surplus fund	25,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	56,158.25	
National Bank notes outstanding	49,300.00	
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14,801.27	
Dividends unpaid	9.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	\$19,818.07	
Demand certificates of deposit	3,074.45	
Total	\$386,156.04	

State of MASSACHUSETTS, County of ESSEX, ss.:  
I, J. Tyler Kimball, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. TYLER KIMBALL, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1911.  
GEORGE W. FOSTER, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
JOSE A. SMART,  
JAMES C. SAWYER, } Directors.  
GEO. F. SMITH,

## LAWRENCE

Annual meetings of the national banks of this city were held Tuesday afternoon.

The Lawrence Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Wilbur E. Rowell Tuesday afternoon.

Fifty-one years ago Tuesday the Pemberton mill fell and buried many men and women in the ruins.

On Monday evening the annual meeting of Grace church parish was held and officers were elected for the year 1911.

Rev. William E. Wolcott delivered an address on "Charles Sumner" at the Lawrence Street Congregational church Sunday night.

J. Watson Sewell, private secretary to Moses L. Shuttleworth, agent of the Washington mills, died Sunday at his home, 173 Bailey street.

The annual meeting of the Merrimack Valley Country club was held Monday evening in the board of trade rooms in the Bay State building.

A reception and dance by the Lawrence General Hospital Nurses Association was successfully held in Truell hall Monday evening.

The grand bazaar to be held under the auspices of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society, Jan. 26, 27, and 28, promises to be a big event.

The officers-elect of United Brothers lodge, 122, I. O. O. F., were installed at the regular meeting of the lodge in Odd Fellows hall Monday night.

There will be no session of criminal court in this city a week from Monday as was thought there might be. The term will come in Salem as usual.

Mrs. Caleb Saunders, wife of ex-Mayor Caleb Saunders, died early Tuesday morning at the Homeopathic hospital in Boston where she has been for some time.

Daniel W. Hoff, the former supervisor of penmanship in the local public schools was the speaker before the Lawrence Natural History society Monday evening.

Harry T. Watson of Lancaster, well known in Lawrence, was injured in Fitchburg Saturday night and for a while it was feared that he would lose the sight of an eye.

Captain Brook Payne of the regular U. S. army from Fort Myer, Va., conducted the annual U. S. government inspection of Battery C at the armory Monday afternoon and evening.

District Deputy William E. Thornton and suite of Lowell installed the officers for 1911 in St. Mary's council 450, Knights of Columbus, Monday night at the council's rooms on Essex street.

Work has been started by the Pacific mills on a concrete garage to be erected at the corner of Water street and Broadway near the power plant which will be used as a shelter for the mill automobiles.

According to the official returns of Building Inspector J. J. Carey, the year of 1910 was one of the greatest in the history of Lawrence for building operations, the approximate valuation being \$4,732,330.

## NORTH ANDOVER

The carding and picking departments of the Sutton mills are operated over-time evenings.

Miss Gertrude Beck of the Farnham district is passing a week in Jamaica Plain and Medford.

Arthur P. Meloon has returned from Mountain View, N. H., where he spent several months.

The Eben Suttons and the Cochewichs held their monthly meetings on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Peter Holt has returned from New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y., where she passed several weeks.

Rudolph C. Kempf of Water street, left Monday morning for Philadelphia, Pa., where he intends to locate.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Grange, there was a whist party, Wednesday evening in Grange hall.

The concert and New Year Cheer of Court Lincoln, 8503, A. O. F., held in Odd Fellows hall, Friday evening, attracted a very large assemblage, the capacity of the hall being tested.

A. P. Cheney, the oldest male resident of North Andover, and one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of that town, passed away at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, 87 Water street.

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## METHUEN

The Marshall Worsted mills on Osgood street have shut down indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell of this town are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

The inhabitants of the outlying districts of the town are advocating the purchase of an auto fire truck.

The members of the Methuen club will hold a select dancing party in the near future in Odd Fellows hall.

A regular meeting of Hope lodge, I. O. O. F., was held Tuesday evening at their hall on Hampshire street.

The Willing Workers' Bible class of the Baptist church will conduct a supper in the church vestry this evening.

The annual meeting of the Second Primitive Methodist church society was held on Thursday evening of this week.

Thomas White of this town has been drawn to serve as traverse juror for the coming term of Superior court.

George Stowers of Pleasant street has accepted a position in the shoe department with Jordan Marsh & Co. of Boston.

Miss Yeomans of Fiske university will speak to the members of the Congregational Sunday school next Sunday at the regular session.

The Lawrence Lumber company has purchased the Kimball woods off Hampshire street, there being about 30 acres of wood land there.

The members of Spicket Falls lodge, A. O. U. W., held a dancing party in Odd Fellows hall on Wednesday evening of this week.

The first handicap athletic meet of the local Y. M. C. A., will be held on the evening of January 13, in the town hall, and there will be five events.

A meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society of the local Congregational church was held in Phillips chapel on Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

Michael Russell, an old and respected resident of Methuen, passed away at his home, 15 Carleton street in that town early Sunday morning, aged 65 years.

At the Sunday afternoon meeting of the F. S. A. society held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Rev. William E. Lombard of Andover addressed the meeting.

The Methuen fire department was called out to a chimney fire Monday afternoon about three o'clock, the fire being in the house of E. L. Bragdon on Lowell street.

## ESSEX COUNTY

Horace C. Moore of Haverhill is at the hospital in a critical condition. He was trampled upon by a horse which he was putting into its stall.



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### BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, Pastor  
Services for Next Week  
10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday School to follow.  
2.30 p.m. Meeting of Juniors.  
6.00 p.m. Christmas concert.  
6.30 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.  
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Rev. W. S. Handy, Pastor.  
Services for Next Week  
10.30 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday school to follow.  
6.00 p.m. Epworth League.  
7.00 p.m. Christmas concert.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

Miss Flossie Gillen spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

J. H. Smith has gone to Maine on a five weeks business trip.

Miss Mary McGovern spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

The Misses Sadie and Elizabeth Carr spent Sunday with Mrs. Ellen McAvoy.

Wm. O'Donnell of Haverhill spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Catherine O'Donnell.

Archibald Higgins of Lowell spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Hannah S. Green, Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dane of Lowell were the guests Sunday of the latter's sister, Miss Sadie Kent.

The young folks cleared the snow off the mill pond Saturday afternoon and enjoyed themselves skating and playing hockey.

Miss Nellie E. Swift of Washington, D. C., has been the guest this week of her sister, Mrs. Emily H. Swift, High street.

The regular meeting of Ballardvale Lodge will be held next Monday. All Good Templars are specially invited to be present.

Rev. Mr. Sharpe, district superintendent, preached a very practical and eloquent sermon at the Methodist church last Sunday.

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The first social dance of the Colonial orchestra will be held in Bradlee Hall this evening. It promises to be one of the leading social events of the season.

The annual roll call and supper of the Union Congregational church will be held in the vestry of the church Thursday evening, January 26th. Full details will be given later.

Edwin Henderson, a former well-known resident of Ballardvale, is working for Burgess and Curtis of Marblehead as an aviator. The best wishes of his many Ballardvale friends go with him in his new occupation.

The Congregational Ladies Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. G. Haynes, High street. A full attendance is requested by all members as business of special importance will come before the meeting.

The 10.35 train from Lawrence has been stopping at Ballardvale on Tuesday and Saturday evenings. This is certainly a great accommodation to the people of our village and it certainly is to be hoped that these arrangements will be continued by the railroad.

The young men's Bible class held its semi-annual business meeting in the Congregational church vestry last Tuesday evening, when the following persons were elected officers for the ensuing six months: President, Arthur Mears; vice-president, Robert Stafford; secretary, Percy Cooper; treasurer, Leslie J. Clarke.

### Obituary

#### BURTON IRVING DRISKO

Burton Irving Drisko of Roxbury, a former well known and popular resident of Ballardvale, died at his late home last Sunday, January 8th, after a prolonged illness of over four years, at the age of twenty-six. The deceased was born in Roxbury, February 20, 1885, and was the son of Fred H. and Eva A. Drisko. His early life was spent in Roxbury, where he graduated from the Roxbury Latin school, and from there entered the Yale Scientific school, graduating in the class of 1906. Shortly after graduating he was taken with chronic Bright's disease and has been fighting a losing fight since that time. During his school days he won considerable fame and notoriety on account of his marvelous skill as a baseball pitcher. He came to Ballardvale for several summers and

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### BALLARD VALE

lived with his parents at their summer home here in the village, and Manager Thomas Platt secured him to pitch regularly for the Ballardvale team. His wonderful work in the box did much to make the Ballardvale team acknowledged to be one of the best strictly amateur teams in the state. Bert, as he was familiarly known by the boys, was quite popular among them, where his quiet, unassuming ways awakened confidence and respect.

The funeral services were quietly observed at his late home in Roxbury last Wednesday afternoon, and were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Fulton and Rev. C. L. Page of the Dudley street Baptist church.

### Annual Minstrel Show

The annual minstrel show of the Independence Drum Corps was held Monday evening in Bradlee hall and was a pronounced success in every particular. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity and the stage was decorated in a very artistic manner. All the songs were well sung, and the many jokes and local hits called forth rounds of applause. Wm. McIntire acted as interactor, and the end men were Wm. Miller, Joseph Riley, Thomas O'Donnell, George Dane. The chorus included Holmes T. Bates, Percy Cooper, Wm. Dane, Frank Cronin, Raymond Metcalfe, Thomas Bruce, Eldon Fleury, John Wood, John McIntire, C. Wrigley, William McKeon, Frank Sherry. The musical director was Joseph E. Stott. The program follows:

PART I  
Overture—Joseph E. Stott  
"Turkey in the Straw," Bones and Tambos  
Opening Chorus—"Merry Minstrels"  
End Song—"Who were you with tonight?" Joseph A. Riley  
Ballad—"It's Travelling Back" Holmes E. Bates  
End Song—"In Tennessee" George Dane  
Popular Song—"No One Knows" John McIntire  
Tenor Solo—"Meet Me Tonight in Dreamland" Percy H. Cooper  
Coon Song—"That Barber Shop Chord" Geo. Dane and Wm. Miller  
End Song—"I'm Going Where the Weather Suits My Clothes"  
Finale—"Betty Brown"

Ends and Chorus  
Avon Quartet in popular melodies.  
Holmes E. Bates in his latest topical song "We're All Here."  
Master Merrill Gridley, the celebrated boy soprano.  
Musical Sketch—"The Soldier Boys of Dixie."

CAST OF CHARACTERS  
Capt. Horace Johnson, Thomas E. O'Donnell  
First Lieut.—Chas. Alonzo, George Dane  
Second Lieut.—Thaddeus James, Joseph A. Riley  
Jeff Thomas, John McIntire  
Lem Goodwin, L. H. Wrigley  
Dick Honeygum, Thos. G. Bruce  
Sim Dipse, Wm. Dane  
Wm. Gamahoe, Wm. McIntire  
Sam Cipher, Wm. Miller

Election of Officers  
At the semi-annual meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. society held last Sunday, the following were elected officers and members of the several committees for the ensuing term.

Welcome Committee—Charles H. Richardson, Izetta Fillebrown, Sherman Swift, Marcia Matthews, Leslie Clarke, Olive Wilkinson.  
Watch Committee—Arthur Mears, Geraldine Cooper, Walter Oldroyd, Alice Davis, Joseph Cummings, Annabelle Steed.

Prayer Meeting Committee—Philip Stafford, Mrs. C. H. Richardson, Frank Petty, Lilly Wilkinson, Isabelle Miller.

Social Committee—William Shaw, Robert Stafford, Mrs. George R. Mil-

ler, Ethel Stafford, Ethel Gardner, Rosalie Wood, Eldon Fleury.  
Junior Committee—Mrs. Eldon Fleury, Etta Greenwood, Anna Davis, Agnes Cummings.  
Missionary and Temperance Committee—Daniel H. Poor, Mrs. B. F. Stafford, Millicent Cooper, Fred Oldroyd, Birdie Evans.  
Flower Committee—Irving B. Shaw, Ruth Greenwood, Lillian Dawson, Mrs. Joseph Cummings, Florence Evans, Edward Davies.  
Music Committee—Percy Cooper, Eldon Fleury, Mrs. Frank Juhlmann, Alice Davis, Leslie Clarke, Mrs. Eldon Fleury.

Remember Mr. Powers and the "Shaughraun" at the Town Hall next Tuesday evening.

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The Men's club of the Free church held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening. Principal Hamblin of Punchard school spoke on astronomy.

The Andover Guild Young Men's first and second teams will meet the Lowell Y. M. C. A. first and second teams to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15 cents.

At the Boston poultry show this week O. P. Chase won on Golden Wyandottes, seven regular prizes, including two firsts; also one shape and three color specials.

The annual meeting of the Courtous Circle of the South church which was postponed from last week, will be held next Tuesday evening. A full attendance is desired as important business is to be transacted.

The Swimming Pool fund at Phillips Academy has been greatly added to in the past week. The various committees worked with a will during the Christmas recess as the present standing of the various teams show. A clock is shortly to be placed on the door of the chapel to enable the students to see the increase made in the fund from time to time. The total amount secured up to this morning was \$9,247.

Entertained at Whist  
A very pleasant bridge whist party was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. David Shaw on Main street. There were four tables, the ladies present being as follows: Mrs. Frank Hardy, Mrs. Fred Berry, Mrs. George M. R. Holmes, Mrs. Henry Bodwell, Mrs. W. D. Currier, Mrs.

G. Grout, Mrs. E. W. Pitman, Mrs. Alexander Grant, Mrs. H. W. Barnard, Mrs. Arthur G. Clark, Mrs. John N. Cole, Mrs. Charles E. Abbott, Mrs. F. H. Messer, Mrs. Harry M. Eames, and Mrs. Fred Goff. The first prize of the afternoon went to Mrs. Harry Eames, the second to Mrs. Fred Berry, the third to Mrs. Fred Goff.

IN BOSTON MARKETS  
Butter—Choice northern creamery, 30¢@30½¢; western creamery, 29½¢@30½¢; firsts, 27¢@28¢.  
Cheese—York state, 15½¢@16¢; Vermont, 15¢@15½¢.  
Eggs—Choice hennessy, 33¢@40¢; eastern extras, 35¢@37¢; western, 33¢@35¢; storage, 24¢@25¢.  
Potatoes—Central Maine and Aroostook, \$1.05@1.10 bag; sweets, Vine-land, \$2.75@3 barrel; 90¢@1 basket.  
Apples—Baldwins, fancy, \$3.75@4.25 barrel; greenings, \$3@4; northern Spy, \$3.50; Ben Davis, \$3@3.50; Tolman sweets, \$2@3.50; russets, \$2.50@3.25.  
Truck—Onions, \$1@1.25 box; turnips, yellow, \$1.25@1.50 bag; white, 75¢@1 box; cabbage, drumhead, 90¢@1.10 barrel; Savoy, \$1@1.25 barrel; red, \$1.25@1.50 box; squash, marrow, \$1.25@1.50 barrel; Hubbard, 1½¢@2¢ pound; parsley, \$2@2.25 box; string beans, green, \$6.50@7.50 basket; beets, \$1@1.15 box; carrots, 85¢@1 box; parsnips, 90¢@1.15 box; radishes, 20¢@30¢ dozen; spinach, \$1.25@1.50 box; beet greens, \$1.25@1.50 box; dandelions, \$2.50@2.75 box; Brussels sprouts, 15¢@20¢ quart.  
Poultry—Fancy northern turkeys, 23¢@25¢; western, 21¢@22¢; native broilers, 23¢@25¢; western broilers, 18¢@20¢; roasters, 15¢@16¢; chickens, 12¢@15¢.

A Startling Reply.  
An English country bookseller sent to London for a copy of a book called "Happy Husbands." The work was out of print, but the wholesale agent certainly might have indicated the fact differently. He replied that "There are no 'Happy Husbands' in London."—London Tit-Bits.

Best Intentions.  
Mamma—Johnny, what is the baby yelling about? Johnny—Nothin'. I jest took his milk and showed him how to drink it.—Cleveland Leader.

Learn to say "No," and it will be of more use to you than to be able to read Latin.—Sourzou.

Simplified Spelling.  
"Why did you take Elnora away from school, Aunt Mahaly?" a lady asked her cook one day. Aunt Mahaly sniffed scornfully.  
"Cause de teacher ain't satisfaction-ary tub me, Mis' Mally. What you reckon she tell dat chile yistidy? She 'low dat IV spell four when even a idjut 'ud know dat it spells Ivy."

Not Strong Minded.  
"Your wife, Clark, is, I should say, a strong minded lady."  
"There you would be wrong. I should rather describe her as brittle minded."

"Brittle minded?"  
"Yes; she's been giving me pieces of her mind for years."

An Easy Arrangement.  
Wife—Am I, then, never to have my way in anything? Husband—Certainly, dear. When we are both agreed you can have your way. When we differ I'll have mine."

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